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PASSENGERS OF FALL RIVER LINER TAKEN OFF BY TUGS

PURITAN BROKE SHAFT

Anxious Hours for 800 People Bound for Boston and Other New England Points, but All Were Transferred in Safety After Long Delay in Fog.

Special to the Boston American.

NEW LONDON, Aug. 6.—The Puritan of the Fall River line, bound from New York to Fall River, is at anchor off Sarah's Ledge with a broken shaft.

Nearly all of her 800 passengers have been brought here by tugs and are now on their way to Boston by special train.

Starboard Shaft Broken.

The big liner's starboard shaft was broken at 12 57 this morning when she was eleven miles east of Gull Island. A dense fog prevailed and signals were at once sounded for assistance.

Her calls were answered by the Providence of the Providence-New York division of the same company, which towed the disabled craft to Sarah's Ledge at the mouth of the harbor where she dropped anchor. The Providence then proceeded on her way to New York.

The Puritan is to be towed to Fall River for repairs. The Pilgrim takes her place to-night on the Fall River New York service.

ANXIOUS HOURS FOR 800 PASSENGERS

BY CLEMENT L. POLLOCK,
ON BOARD THE DISABLED STEAMER.

Special to the Boston American.

NEW LONDON, Conn., Aug. 6.—Eight hundred passengers on the Fall River steamer Puritan, bound from New York to Newport, Fall River and Boston, were badly frightened at 12:30 o'clock this morning when the shaft of the vessel snapped near Gull Island, off New London. Following this they were marooned in a dense fog for nine hours. The big boat shivered as though she had struck a rock or had run aground. Most of the passengers who were asleep were awakened, and in a few minutes the decks and parlors were crowded with hurriedly dressed men and women.

There was no panic, but uncertainty and anxiety prevailed. Word soon flew that the Puritan was fast aground, as she had stopped suddenly and lay quietly shrouded in fog. Investigation brought the information that the shaft had been broken and that the boat was helpless.

Wireless Reaches the Providence.

Signal whistles were blown until every one was deafened. The wireless operator began a search for help. In a short time he had reached the steamer Providence of the Providence line, bound from Providence to New York. The Providence was nearing New London, and by 1:25 she had reached the Puritan.

The Providence took the disabled vessel in tow and headed toward New London. The fog was heavy, and the progress a snail's pace. Few of the passengers could sleep because of nervousness. Those who were ticketed to Newport and who were to be met by friends at 2:45 were much worried.

No one of the officials could heard a cheer as to the time the boat would reach land.

Towing Hawser Broke.

Once one of the two heavy ropes by which the Puritan was being towed broke and a new one was procured. About 7 o'clock the passengers who held Fall River and Newport tickets were lined up before the purser's office and their tickets changed from boat to train from New London. The Providence, due in New York at 2 o'clock, was also compelled to land her passengers at New London.

When S o'clock arrived and the two big boats seemed to be asleep under their fog blankets, the passengers began to show increased uneasiness. They surrounded the wireless office and clamored to send messages. But the operator was busy with official business for a long time.

Passengers Anxious to Land.

"I would give $100 to be in Boston now," said one man. A score of others told what they would give for the same privilege.

"I have an important funeral," said a tall, slender, track-coated man. "It is that of David Brener Gurney of Waltham. I am a pallbearer. I must get there."

"What don't they get some tugs and pull us ashore?" another passenger exclaimed in irritation.

About 8:30 three tugs reached the side of the Puritan, the Providence having abandoned her and continued on her way. The transfer of the passengers to the tugs was not until 9:30, when they steamed for the New London Harbor with a pessimistic company of voyagers. At this place they boarded trains for their various destinations.

Captain Chase of the Puritan explained that the Providence could not tow the disabled boat into the harbor of this place because it was already overcrowded by New York yacht races.

Snapshot by Boston American staff Photographer.

DENIZENS OF FAY STREET, SOUTH END, FINDING RELIEF FROM HEAT IN "WET-DOWN" BY THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

DEATH AND SUFFERING IN THE BROILING HEAT

ONE FATALITY AND MANY PROSTRATIONS SO FAR, AND NO RELIEF IN SIGHT.

The entire eastern coast is to-day broiling in the fierce heat.

One death in Boston is already reported. Many prostrater persons have been taken to city hospitals.

New York, which generally suffers more than any other place in the country, reports three dead and scores prostrated already. Dispatches say that people are leaving the city for seashore resorts by the thousands.

According to weather reports, the hot spell will last for several days. There is no cheering prospect that a cool wave has been sighted.

Every steamship bound out to-day for points along shore carried full passenger lists. Cleared of the fog, the harbor presented the most comforting attraction, but even on the boats the heat was intense.

Warnings by Doctors.

This is the kind of day when thoughtful people will do the right things to avoid being overcome by the heat. As much exertion as possible should be avoided. Doctors again utter their warnings that stimulating drinks should be avoided as well as heavy eating.

Last night many residents of the city slept on roofs and fire escapes. It was the only way in which any sort of comfort could be found in the congested tenement districts.

The one death occurred on the train from Mansfield to Boston. Fred Wells, sixty years of age, who lives on Beight street, Mansfield, late for his train, ran quite a distance to the station and sank into his seat exhausted.

He was seen to fan himself vigorously and the people over into the aisle. Dr Hindle of Providence and Dr. Rutson of Somerville, who happened to be aboard the train went to his assistance. Mr. Wells died in a few minutes. The physicians said his death was due to heart failure caused by overexertion and the heat. On the arrival of the train at the South Station the body was taken in charge by Undertaker Jones. Word was sent to his family. Mr. Wells was a Boston business man.

Hurrying to his work, William Lessiter of No. 20 Howard street, was overcome by the heat on the streets, or were taken off from their homes in a state of collapse.

The police required no special order from headquarters last night to grant the suffering people of the East Side the privilege of resting on the cooling turf in the city parks and upon the wharves along the city waterfronts.

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	Degrees.
Midnight	76
1 a. m.	75
2 a. m.	75
3 a. m.	75
4 a. m.	75
5 a. m.	75
6 a. m.	74
7 a. m.	74
8 a. m.	77
9 a. m.	81
10 a. m.	85
11 a. m.	88
12 a. m.	88.5

3 DEAD IN NEW YORK MANY PROSTRATED

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—New York is boiling and stewing in a torrid wave. Three people are dead from the heat and scores are prostrated. There is great distress and suffering among the poor. Last night was the severest experienced during the present heated term, and will add heavily, physicians declare, to the list of mortalities among infants as well as the aged. One man was driven mad, and private physicians were called into homes of comparative comfort to minister to hundreds of cases of persons stricken by the ever whelming heat.

Physicians and ambulances were busy responding to calls for heat victims who fell exhausted in the streets, or were taken from their homes in a state of collapse.

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BIG THOMAS BALLOON NOW NEARING BOSTON

The big balloon Minvana, bearing its owner, Dr. Julian P. Thomas and Roy Knabenshue, the famous airship operator, is nearing Boston, after making a landing at Noank, Ct., since the ascension at Port Morris, N. Y., last night.

It passed over Silver Lake, Brockton, about 11 o'clock to-day and was headed in a general Northeasterly direction.

At East Taunton the appearance of the balloon caused great excitement among the inhabitants, and its course was followed by a large crowd. Dr. Thomas leaped far out of the car when it came near enough to the ground and wanted to know the name of the town.

After receiving the information the car rose rapidly, and disappeared in the direction of Bridgewater.

Just what point in Boston Dr. Morris and Knabenshue are making for is not known. They will probably land somewhere on the outskirts of the city.

From what the people at East Taunton gleaned from the occupants, they were having a delightful trip and had had no trouble whatever during the night. They have been traveling practically all night.

BALLOON STARTED FROM NOANK, CT., AT 6:30 O'CLOCK

NOANK, Ct., Aug. 6. Dr Julian P. Thomas of New York, accompanied by Roy Knabenshue, the Toledo aeronaut, who started from New York last night in the big Minerva balloon hoping to break American records for height and distance covered, landed at 5:45 a. m., a mile and a half North of this place on the main road between here and New London. They stopped only long enough to inspire their whereabouts and take some breakfast, after which they accepted aids and proceeded on their way. They hope to reach Boston before completing the trip.

The landing was almost directly over the home of David Main. The Main family were just getting up when they were startled by shouts out of doors and going

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900 in Death Fight as Steamer Sinks; Over 400 DROWN IN WRECK

Knives and Clubs Used in Wild Panic: Women and Children Driven Into Sea.

Italian Emigrant Vessel Strikes Treacherous Rocks Off the Spanish Coast.

CARTAGENA, Spain, Aug. 6.—In a wild fight for their lives, in which over 800 emigrants and a crew of 127 men used knives and clubs, and women and children and even men were trampled to death in a battle to get into the lifeboats, over 400 persons were drowned Saturday night off Hormigas Island.

Details of one of the most terrible marine disasters ever recorded in the Mediterranean Sea have been received to-day. The Italian steamship Sirio, laden with Spanish and Italian emigrants, smashed on to the treacherous reefs of Bajos Hormigas and sank, stern first.

The wreck occurred just before sundown, and in short time several fishing craft from the near shore had made their way to the scene of the wreck. But there was the fighting among the panic-stricken emigrants that several of the fishermen were killed or thrown overboard and drowned in their attempts to get away from the wreck in safety with the human cargoes they had saved from the fate of the others.

It was in the boats of these fishermen, together with the few of the ship's boats, that those who are now alive were saved.

CAPTAIN ADMITS HIS FAULT.

The captain of the steamer, after attributing the disaster to his own imprudence in trying to make a short cut through what he knew to be one of the most dangerous reefs on this side of the Mediterranean, committed suicide, allowing himself to drown when the vessel went down.

The shipwrecked unfortunates, who were bound for ports in South America with all their worldly possessions, are now in a sad plight, camped in the main square of the small village of Cape Palos, the nearest settlement to the scene of the wreck.

Many incidents, heartrending in the extreme, are told by the survivors. There were two priests on board the ill-fated vessel. One of these was drowned almost instantly, crowded overboard in the mad rush of the excited passengers. The other priest, believed to be Bishop Barros of Brazil, was last seen kneeling in prayer, even as the water swirled about his feet. He gave absolution to those who sought it until the water rose almost to his shoulders. When last seen alive he was praying, and his unfinished prayer was abruptly

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KEEP ELECTION PLEDGE, LABOR CALLS TO MAYOR

CENTRAL UNION PUTS IT UP TO FITZGERALD TO SAVE CITY $400,000 ON LIGHTING.

It has been up to Mayor Fitzgerald by the Central Labor Union that he has a chance to keep one of the promises he made before election to something in the interests of the working people and at the same time save them about $400,000.

The Mayor is asked upon first to call for arbitration with the Edison Electric Illuminating Company as to whether or not the city is entitled to a reduction in the price it is now paying for electric lighting. Mayor Fitzgerald must call for this arbitration session before August 20, or the city will have to continue to pay the present rate of $125 per lamp per year for two and a half years more.

Cost City $130 a Day.

Mayor Fitzgerald could have called for the arbitration meeting any time after May 20 last. According to the electrical experts of the Central Labor Union this delay has probably cost the city $130 a day.

This is the letter which was sent to the Mayor after being adopted by the Central Labor Union at yesterday's meeting:

"We desire to call your attention to the fact that the present lighting contract between the city and the Edison Electric Illuminating Company contains a clause that if the Mayor elect so can demand that the contract be arbitrated, to decide whether the city is entitled to a reduction in the price of $125 per year per lamp, the price now paid.

Must Act By August 20.

"We wish to call your attention also that the Mayor of the city must make this demand prior to August 20, otherwise the contract will continue in force at the present rate for two and one half years.

"We are advised by parties in position to know that the city, according to the terms of the contract, should not pay in excess of $75 per year per lamp.

"We ask that you take the necessary steps and we believe that under a fair interpretation of the contract the city could be saved $400,000."

What a City Plant With Do.

Delegate L. W. E. Klimkal of Electrical Workers' Union No. 103, who suggested the step, delivered an address in which he showed that by building a municipal electric plant not only the electric light expenses, but the gas expenses as well would be brought to their knees.

"Mayor Fitzgerald has very often told committees from this organization that he would adopt several measures and suggestions which have been presented to him in the interests of labor if he only had the money to do it with.

"Now, we can show him where he can save the city $400,000 at one fell swoop.

"The city now pays $125 a year for each arc light; $75 would be a fair cost."

The Brookline Gas Company has made an offer to the city of $100 per light a year.

He declared that the gas company, because of alleged over-capitalization, cannot well gas low enough to compete with owners of private electric lighting plants, while the electric company can to some extent.

"A municipal electric plant would save the city in lighting its streets and public buildings at least $1,200 a day," he said in addition to that, the community would save on the gas and electricity at least $4,000 a day, making a total saving of over $5,000 a day.

VERMONT TIMBER LAND SOLD.

RUTLAND, Vt., Aug. 6. One thousand acres of timber land in Danbury, Bethan and Huntington, on which there is 8,000,000 feet of lumber, has been sold to H. G. Ward of Moretown and M. E. Davis of Waterbury for $8,000. A new steam sawmill will be built on the tract.

THE WEATHER.

Fair and warmer to-day. Tuesday fair; somewhat cooler. Light westerly winds.

High tide—12:07 a. m., 12:37 p. m.

Sun rises, 4:41; sets, 6:59.

Moon rises—8:29 p. m.

MRS. THOMAS W. LAWSON DIES AT BEAUTIFUL DREAMWOLD

Wife of Financier Passes Away After an Illness of Many Weeks.

Husband and Four of Six Children at Bedside at the End.

Mrs. Jeannie Augusta Lawson, wife of Thomas W. Lawson, the State street financier, is dead at Dreamwold, the Lawson country home in Scituate, where she has been ill for the past six weeks. She passed away yesterday afternoon at 1.11 o'clock. Although there had been a constant belief that she would rally from the heart trouble which had made her almost an invalid for the past nine years, her death was not wholly unexpected.

Mr. Lawson and four of the six children were at her bedside. Arnold Lawson, the eldest son, who was married in New York about two weeks ago, had left Boston on Saturday night in the schooner yacht Cygnet, aboard which he had planned to spend a three-months' honeymoon cruise with his bride. The Cygnet put in at Marblehead last night, and then Arnold was informed of his mother's death. With his wife, he at once started for Dreamwold, where he now is.

Douglas Lawson, another son, who was visiting friends in New Hampshire, was informed of the death of his mother, and came home at once.

Children at Bedside.

The children who had gathered around the bedside of the dying mother with Mr. Lawson, were Mrs. Ellen Blaine Stanwood (Gladys Lawson), and Marion, Doris and Bunny Lawson. Marion and Doris have been at home for three weeks, being called back from England, where they had just arrived on what was to have been a tour of the continent.

A valedictory affection was the cause of the death of the mistress of Dreamwold. Although she had suffered for nearly ten years on this account, she was never as seriously ill as when stricken June 26 of this year. About two years ago she had a serious attack. The best of medical attendance was obtained, and for several days it was thought Mrs. Lawson would recover, so as to be out of immediate danger.

Besides Mr. Lawson, who had been with Mrs. Lawson continuously during her ill ness, and his business affairs having been set aside, four doctors and several nurses were in constant attendance upon her, and last week she rentered sufficiently to be able to drive about the grounds at Dreamwold.

On Friday, however, she suffered a set back, which, though aggravated by the intense heat, was not considered serious ons until a sudden change for the worse yesterday, when, in spite of the physicians' efforts, she died.

Called Back from London.

On June 26, the day that Mrs. Lawson was stricken, the Mesa, Scottish steamer, sailed from Boston for Europe on the steamer Saxonia. They were notified of their mother's illness on their arrival in London on July 5, and sailed July 7, arriving at Scituate on the evening of July 14, and at Dreamwold on the evening of the same day. Miss Bunny Lawson, the youngest, and on that account the favorite daughter, has been with her father at Dreamwold continuously since Mrs. Lawson's illness.

The death of Mrs. Lawson cast a gloom over the happy party of Arnold Lawson and his young bride, who have been married but a week. The wedding which had been set for October, was performed a week ago at the express wish of Mrs. Lawson, who did not believe she would be able to be present at the wedding in October.

As soon as the news of Mrs. Lawson's death became known messages of condolence began to pour in upon Mr. Lawson. Although he has known of years that the end must one day come in a sudden manner, Mr. Lawson is heart broken, for he was absolutely devoted to his wife and found in her the inspiration for all his stupendous undertakings. In all the turmoil of affairs during his fierce struggles in the financial world he turned to her for advice and comfort, and the fact that her death was not quite unexpected does not rob the event of any of its poignancy.

The arrangements for the funeral of Mrs. Lawson are being made to-day.

Were Wedded in 1878.

Mrs. Lawson's maiden name was Jeannie Augusta Goodwillie. She was a native of Cambridge, and was married to Thomas W. Lawson in 1878.

Mrs. Lawson had always suffered more or less by frequent illnesses, and during these times Dreamwold was kept beautifully supplied with flowers. Because she found so much pleasure in a certain beautiful pink which he brought to her, Mr. Lawson bought for $25,000 all the plants of the flower from its discoverer, Peter Dupont of Ellis, and named the flower the Mrs. Thomas W. Lawson pink in honor of his wife.

Another of the notable achievements inspired by his devotion of Mrs. Lawson was the building at Dreamwold, the Lawson country estate at Scituate at an expense of $2,000,000. Mr. Lawson had long admired a rocky tract of country in Scituate, and one day she chanced to say that it would make a beautiful site for a country place.

Mrs. Lawson was domestic in her tastes and cared more for her home life than for social pleasures. She was devoted to the society of her husband and her children and ever found delight in motherhood, in the latter she exercised the greatest care and solicitude.

LAST SNAPSHOT OF MRS. THOMAS W. LAWSON.

CARMEN ASK ANOTHER MEETING WITH CRAPO

NEW BEDFORD, Aug. 6.—The committees appointed at the conference between the heads of the Carmen's Union and the Central Labor Union, to wait on President Crapo, will probably arrange for a meeting to-day. They will endeavor to bring influence to bear that will alter the position taken by the railroad. The committeemen are Samuel Ross, William Hall and J. F. Monahan.

The dynamite scare has died down, and yesterday the cars were better patronized than any day since the strike started. The officers still continue to ride at night. Superintendent Potter claims two more men have applied for work.

President Mahon and his associates are busy talking up a Wage Earners' Club, which will be formed immediately. He says it is to see if there is not some way whereby the franchise of the trolley road can be revoked. The municipal ownership idea will be discussed to forward the movement.

President Ross and Secretary Walsh of the Massachusetts Association of Street Railway Men have been in the city looking over the situation, and after a conference with President Mahon decided to call a meeting of the fourteen associations affiliated with the State organization some time this week. The meeting will be held in Boston and an appeal will be made for the establishment of a temporary assessment for the benefit of the New Bedford carmen.

President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor has sent a telegram to President Mahon stating that he has made all arrangements to be on hand to aid the strikers at any moment's notice.

The strikers are greatly encouraged at the stiff fight their leaders are putting up and with the personal assistance of President Gompers they are confident of eventual success.

WOMEN AND BABIES CROWDED INTO SEA

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RESCUERS DROWNED IN RUSH.

In one of the boats which a number of fishermen had got close up to the sinking liner the crowd swarmed so fast that it was capsized by the overload, and the crew of rescuers went down with those they were trying to save.

A group of six children had climbed into the chronicle of the vessel, while their mothers were taken off by one of the trawlers. The Sirio sank before the children could be rescued, while the mothers, standing safe aboard, watched their children as they were engulfed. The children uttered piercing shrieks as they went down under the waves, and it was with difficulty that the women were restrained from jumping into the sea after them.

The Austrian saw at Rio de Janeiro jumped into the sea wearing a lifebelt. He then noticed a woman and child struggling on the point of going down. He gave up his belt to them and tried to swim ashore. He was almost completely exhausted when rescued by a fishing vessel. Among the dressed in the garb of the Benedictine order, with headquarters in London. All the others went down with the ship. They were unable to reach the land in time to save themselves.

MOTHERS FRANTIC WITH GRIEF.

Among the survivors at Cape Palos are many mothers who weep and wring their hands for lost children, while there are also a number of children who are unable to find their parents. These have been admitted to the city foundling asylum.

The condition of the survivors is most deplorable. They have lost everything and are without money, food or clothing. The maritime authorities of Cartagena have dispatched a tug to the scene carrying relief supplies. The buildings of a circus and the boathouse are being used as temporary quarters for survivors. The latest reports from the cape say that three boats have been rescued in a number of rescues.

A fleet of trawlers providentially happened to be only about a quarter of a mile away when the Sirio struck. Notwithstanding the great danger, the skippers of these boats came at once to the rescue. The survivors of the Sirio shuttle in passing the cockpit of the captains of the trawlers Johon Miguel and Vicente Iglesias. The former steamed close to the side of the sinking ship and took off 300 persons. The crew of the trawler endeavored to steer off, fearing that their boat would be sunk, whereupon the captain drew his revolver, leveled it at his men and shouted:

"As long as it is possible to take off another passenger we will not move."

AT POINT OF REVOLVER.

The deck of the Johen Miguel became so crowded with the terror-stricken survivors that the skipper was obliged, in order to prevent his boat from sinking, to force them down into the hold at the point of his revolver.

The Vicenta Llicano saved 200 persons and an old fisherman rescued a dingy saved twelve. A roll call taken on shore showed that 385 persons from the Sirio are missing, but it is believed that a few were taken on board Greek and German steamers, which continued their voyage after the Sirio sank. Others are also thought dead. It is said that a large number of the crew, who were among the passengers, were drowned, their cabins being the first to go under water.

WOMAN SEEKS POISON DEATH

Separated from her husband, and believing she had nothing to live for, despondent and ill, Mrs. M. Harris, twenty-four years old, attempted to end her troubles early this morning by drinking wood alcohol.

Mrs. Harris is employed as a domestic at No. 26 Walnut street, Somerville. She was not up and about at her usual time this morning, and people in the house went to her room and found her writhing in agony.

"I have nothing to live for and want to die," were the only words she said.

She was removed to the Somerville Hospital. She will recover.

IMPORTANT NEWS

Revised Hourly for Busy Readers.

WASHINGTON.

NEGROES DEMAND EQUAL SCHOOLS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 6.—The Negro Young People's Christian and Educational Congress has adjourned after issuing an address in which it demands equal educational advantages in the South, asserting that negroes fear their full share in paying taxes.

DIPLOMAT H. P. DODGE TRANSFERRED.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 6.—The State Department has transferred H. Percival Dodge of Massachusetts from first secretary of the embassy at Berlin to a similar position at Tokio, where he succeeds Huntington Wilson, recently made third assistant secretary of State.

COMMERCE OUTSTRIPS POPULATION.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 6.—Since 1896 the population of the United States has grown only 20 per cent., while imports have grown 37 per cent. and exports 103 per cent. during the decade.

RELIGIOUS.

REV. A. C. DIXON RESIGNS.

The Rev. A. C. Dixon, for the years pastor of the Ruggles Street Baptist Church, has resigned to accept a call from the Moody Church of Chicago. The pastorate and executive committees of the church yesterday voted to accept the resignation of Mr. Dixon's resignation.

JESUITS HONOR FOUNDER.

The feast of St. Ignatius, the patronal festival of the Jesuits, commemorative of the greatest of the founders of the Jesuit order, was observed yesterday with impressive solemnities in the churches of the Jesuits in this city.

PROMINENT PERSONS.

JAMES A. GARLAND WORSE.

HANOVER, Aug. 6.—A change for the worse in the condition of James A. Garland, the wealthy Boston and New York clubman, who is ill of pneumonia, has caused great anxiety among the friends at his bedside.

P. A. VALENTINE UNDER KNIFE

CHICAGO, Aug. 6.—P. A. Valentine, former president and manager of Armour & Co., will be operated on for appendicitis at his summer home in Geomomowoc.

FIRES.

$10,000 BLAZE IN HOTEL.

SKOWHEGAN, Me., Aug. 6.—Loss of $10,000 was caused by fire in the Hotel Oxford yesterday.

FELL TO DEATH AT BLAZE.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 6.—Fire burned out yesterday a building at Eighth and Olive streets, occupied as headquarters by the Salvation Army.

Joe Matthews fell from the fire escape at the third floor and was killed. The total loss is $50,000.

INDUSTRIAL.

ROADS SELL COAL LANDS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—It is said by railroad men that a number of valuable bituminous coal lands in Pennsylvania, there is seen what is believed in financial circles to be the first move by the railroads to get rid of coal properties, so as to obey the new rate law.

ARMY AND NAVY.

FLEET TO ROCKPORT AGAIN.

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 6.—The battleships of the Atlantic fleet, commanded by Rear Admiral Sidney P. Evans, will leave Newport next Wednesday for resume naval manoeuvres off Rockport, Mass.

PORTABLE ARMY WIRELESS.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—Under the direction of Captain George S. Gibbs, in charge of the signal work at the manoeuvre camp at Mt. Gretna, Pa., a portable wireless telegraph outfit for field use will be tested. The equipment for such station will weigh only a little over 300 pounds.

VERMONT TROOPS AT CAMP.

MT. GRETNA, Pa., Aug. 6.—The Vermont regiment under Colonel Estey arrived at Camp Roosevelt yesterday. The soldiers were much fatigued by their long and hot ride. To-day the militia begin a tour of inspection which will test the qualifications of the soldiers.

DEATHS.

PROMINENT MAINE JUDGE.

DENMARK, Me., Aug. 6.—Judge Percival Bonney, Judge of the superior court of Cumberland county, who was passing the Summer here, died suddenly from heart failure yesterday.

EX-MAYOR OF LAWRENCE.

OLD ORCHARD, Me., Aug. 6.—Alexander Latta, ex-mayor of Lawrence, Mass., and a member of the theatrical firm of Cahn & Grant of that city, died yesterday from bright's disease at his summer home here.

BRAVE U. S. MEDICAL OFFICER.

WORCESTER, Aug. 6.—Major George W. Matthews, U. S. A., retired, died at City Hospital yesterday after a two years' sickness contracted in the Philippines. He is said to be the only medical officer in the army who received a medal for gallantry.

FOREIGN.

BANK HOLIDAY IN LONDON.

LONDON, Aug. 6.—A bank holiday was observed to-day, and business was suspended. There was a great exodus of business men to the country.

10 KILLED IN MEXICAN MOB.

TORREON, Mex., Aug. 6.—Striking Mexican shopmen on the Mexican Central railroad yesterday attacked the American master mechanic. The leader was shot by the master mechanic, and a force of rurales fired on the mob, killing ten of them.

HARVARD OARSMEN WELCOMED.

LONDON, Aug. 6.—The Harvard oarsmen are warmly welcomed by the London newspapers this morning, and the hope is generally expressed that this visit may result in an annual race between the winners of the Oxford-Cambridge and Yale-Harvard contests.

ADMIRAL'S MEMORY HONORED.

CHEFFO, Aug. 6.—Memorial services for Rear Admiral Darius J. Train, commander-in-chief of the United States Asiatic fleet, were held yesterday. Representatives of the American, French and Chinese fleets attended. The battleship Ohio has started with the body for Yokahoma.

TO SUPPRESS OPIUM TRADE.

LONDON, Aug. 6.—The Pekin correspondent of the Times expresses the belief that China will ask Britain to consent to a dual reduction in the import of opium to China, which would extinguish the trade in ten years.

GENERAL.

SOUGHT PRESIDENT; JAILED.

OYSTER BAY, L. I., Aug. 6.—Karl Cook, who said he was a lawyer from Washington, who was arrested Saturday night while attempting to climb Sagamore Hill to see the President, has been sentenced to five days in the county jail at Mineola for vagrancy.

ALBANY, VT., 100 YEARS OLD.

ALBANY, Vt., Aug. 6.—The centennial of this town is being celebrated this week by the present citizens and former residents. The town was organized on March 27, 1806.

10,000 AT K. OF C. SESSIONS.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Aug. 6.—About 10,000 members of the Knights of Columbus, representing many states of the union, attended the eighth annual embarkation day reunion yesterday and to-day.

NEW MOVE TO OUST TAGGART.

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 6.—Democrats, convinced that the French Lick developments have destroyed the usefulness of National Chairman Taggart and have appealed to Mr. Bryan, have begun another movement to oust the chairman, headed by the State against Taggart. This is petition addressed to Taggart asking him to resign the chairmanship.

N. Y. YACHTS TO NEWPORT.

NEW LONDON, Ct., Aug. 6.—Sightseeing and preparation for their run to Newport to-day kept busy yesterday the members of the New York Yacht Club fleet, which arrived here Saturday from New Haven.

WHO IS CAUGHT BY THE TRAP IN THE CONTRACT?

And Will the Proof of the Pudding Stone Profit the City,

WHY MORAN IS INTERESTED

Why is a contract?

Because the proof of the pudding stone is, maybe, the city gets the difference.

The word "contract," according to Webster's means "An agreement by two or more persons, upon sufficient consideration or cause, to do or abstain from doing some act."

According to later authorities (see "Criticism on Hidden Meanings") the word "contract comes from the old Latin "con," meaning "which shell is it under?" and the verb "tracto," meaning "I draw." The combination means, "Do not be hide-bound and narrow."

Algebraically speaking, a contract is a variable quantity, its changeability being inverse to the power of the district attorney.

Some prefer the Webster definition however, basing their claim on the phrase "sufficient consideration" and also upon the word "also." The secondary phrase "cessitin from doing," is generally held as silent, like the "g" sound in fish, albatross from "hading" being honored strictly in the breach.

Why Moran "Butted In."

It came to pass that the City of Boston let a contract for some Normal school buildings. And, in the advertisement for bids, it was specified:

"All concrete for foundation walls and footings is to be composed of one part of cement, three parts of sand and six parts of crushed trap."

Then it went on to tell just what kind of crushed trap should be used.

It developed that the George W. Carr Company, which added the contract for the foundation construction, used Roxbury pudding stone for the specified crushed trap rock. District Attorney John B. Moran notified Major Fitzgerald of this. He promptly had charged that the full amount of cement specified was not being used. Then came the complaint, without criminal charge, concerning the substitution of pudding stone.

Mr. Moran allowed that there was a saving of $1,376 somewhere in this substitution, but, as it had been done with the knowledge of the architects, he waived the criminal charge.

Pudding Stone Substituted.

The Schoolhouse Commission explains that the removal was investigated and found impeccable. Concerning pudding stone and the saving of $1,376 the commission says:

"The substitution was made through the board on May 18, acting upon the advice of the architects. The two materials, in our judgment, are equally satisfactory, and their relative value is large, if not wholly, a question of locality and the length of the haul. The saving effected is to be made the basis for the substitution it will be decided by the architects whether the saving figures are sufficient on the concrete work."

WHY IS A CONTRACT?

Why is a contract?

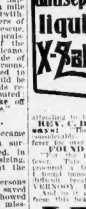
Shall the difference be made to the city?

Does the city get the difference?

Maybe the other contractors, who bid on the same specifications, figured that they would have to use the more expensive trap rock, as specified. I like to know if the city gets the difference. If not, why not?

Hay Fever

50 Cts. Brings Relief



Mr. C. A. WALTON, 718 Auburn St., Cambridgeport, Mass., says:

"For the last three years I have been troubled with hay fever, and this year it was troubled me worse than ever. Two months were stopped up so that I could not breathe. I was told to try X-Zalia. I simply snuff that liquid X-Zalia through my nose and it gives me instant relief. I have used it repeatedly this year and am using X-Zalia now, attending to business every day."

MRS. C. DIXON, Waukon, Conn., says: "The small X-Zalia has relieved my husband of hay fever. He has been a sufferer from hay fever for two years."

FOUND IMMEDIATE RELIEF

"For the past fifteen years I have had hay fever, and X-Zalia advertised in a local paper. I sent for a bottle, and received a bottle, and on the first application found relief. The inflammation and sneezing soon ceased. I recommend X-Zalia to all sufferers."—Mrs. H. H. WHITE, Lebanon, N. H.

YOU can get the same relief from this healing antiseptic liquid

X-Zalia

as these people did. You simply snuff or inject X-Zalia into the nose. You can also rub it freely over the face. And a large bottle of X-Zalia costs but 50c. at any druggist's or by mail.

FREE BOOKLET on relieving hay fever and how to avoid it. Write for it. Or you can do it by writing X-ZALIA CHEMICAL CO., 53-57 Butterworth st., Boston, Mass.

TEN DAYS FREE.

To demonstrate the value of their new Lymphogenous ray (the Queen Chemic Physicians will relive Deafness in ten days, or no charge. Write at once for free trial offer. Dates: August 7th to 18th, 10 a. m. to 12 m., 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p. m. No Sunday hours.

REAL ESTATE.

Selling Out for Cash Only

TEN HOME building lots are offered for this week at Scituate Beach, only 30 minutes from Scituate Beach, only 30 minutes from Boston. Take Nantasket electric cars to Scituate Beach, Hingham, Cohasset or Harvard square, Brighton, and get off at Scituate Beach. Apply to A. V. McKEITH, 1138 Old South Building.

BACON'S

REMNANT SALE — AUCTION SALE

UP-TOWN DEPARTMENT STORE

Great R. & A. Sale

TUESDAY, AUGUST 7

THE backward summer season throughout the country has brought a harvest of rare opportunities to the buyers of the R. and A. Syndicate. They have secured at prices out of all proportion to their value, the most desirable of summer furnishings and fashionable warm weather attire; have relieved overstocked mills and manufacturers by their tremendous spot cash purchases. It is these immense underprice consignments that will be offered here on Tuesday morning next. If you have never attended an R. and A. Sale then by all means do so now. You'll be astonished at the tremendous stocks that are displayed here at amazing price concessions.

Ladies' Vests
In light summer weight, sleeveless, fully trimmed. A grand bargain at 10c. each. R. and A. Sale **5c**

Apron Ginghams
2000 yards of Apron Ginghams in all size checks and a good assortment of colors. Always sold at 8c. per yard. R. and A. Sale **4c**

Fruit of the Loom Pillow Cases
Full 42x36 inch size. Every one bears the genuine Fruit of the Loom label. Positively worth 15c. each. R. and A. Sale **10c**

Light Prints
Best light prints. Only one case and positively worth 5c. per yard. R. and A. Sale **3½c**

Children's Jersey Waists
With double row of buttons and taped neck. Sizes 4 to 12 years. A good value at 19c. each. R. and A. Sale **9c**

C-B Corsets
Made from fine coutil, in long and short hips, all straight fronts, in white only. Sizes 18 to 30. This corset is worth 75c. per pair. R. and A. Sale **39c**

Engraved Glasses
Thin blown, choice of two patterns, famous Bengal-like or neat band. Regularly sold at 25c. per doz. Each. R. and A. Sale **3c**

French Corset Covers
Made from good quality cambric, guaranteed good fitting, with lace trimmed neck. Positively worth 15c. R. and A. Sale **9c**

Table Tumblers
With fluted bottoms and the regular family size. Never sold less than 3c. each. R. and A. Sale **1c**

Boys' Wash Suits
In Russian and sailor collar styles. All our 75c. and $1 suits and goods. R. and A. Sale **39c**

Bleached Shaker Flannel
Best quality, scoured weight, well fleeced, in short lengths only. Regular price 10c. per yard. R. and A. Sale **7c**

Table Oilcloth
1¼ yards wide, white marble and light patterns, best quality, subject to very slight imperfections. The regular 18c. kind. R. and A. Sale **12½c**

Torchon Lace and Insertion
One to three inches wide. Regular price 5c. to 8c. R. and A. Sale **2c**

Heavy TorchonLace and Insertion
Three to five inches wide. Regular 8c. and 10c. values. R. and A. Sale **5c**

Novelty Dress Goods
In mixtures of gray, black, blue, brown and green. Regular prices 25c. and 35c. per yard. R. and A. Sale **12½c**

Rubber Heel Juliettes
All sizes, 3 to 8, in EE widths only. A good value at $1.25 per pair. R. and A. Sale **89c**

Ladies' Umbrellas
Full 26-inch size, with steel rod and natural wood handles, in a number of styles. Actually worth and regularly sold at 39c. R. and A. Sale **15c**

only 1 to a customer.

DOUBLE LEGAL STAMPS TUESDAY MORNING

Store Open Monday, THURSDAY and Saturday Evenings

2175-2193 WASHINGTON, COR. RUGGLES ST.

CROWDS SEE BIG BALLOON

Continued from First Page.

out heard voices in the fog clouds over head. They were frightened until they observed the great balloon descending. The servants made a nice landing and throwing out their anchor came to a full stop a fence and secured the balloon to the gate post, filling the car with mud from the roadside to hold it down.

Owen J. Williams, superintendent of the Groton town farm, soon came to call on Mr. Lawson and offered his services in any way help. They hailed a passing milk man and purchased some milk, on which they ate breakfast with the Main family. They stated that the balloon had risen to a great height and that much of their trip had been in the fog. They said they had followed the sound nearly all the way from New York.

At 6:30 they boarded the car, took up the anchor, and throwing out the ballast again ascended. They said they expected to go up 1,000 feet to escape the fog and then proceed on their way toward Boston. The wind here was very light and blowing toward the northeast. The fog has been so thick that nothing could be seen of them after they ascended.

Dr. Thomas said that they met with no mishaps on the trip here, and were well satisfied with their journey, except that they were somewhat handicapped by the fog which hung thick all along the coast. If the wind continues they should make their way across Rhode Island toward Boston without mishap.

DON'T FORGET SANFORD'S GINGER for your summer trunk. Readers of this paper obtain it at ultimate sale.

URGES STORING COAL IN TANKS FOR NAVY

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—In a report to the Bureau of Equipment of the Navy, Captain W. H. Beehler, commandant of the naval station at Key West, Fla., urges the advisability of storing coal for the use of the navies in concrete tanks capable of being filled with sea water.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

SORE FEET

MINARD'S KING OF PAIN LINIMENT

Lame Back Stiff Muscles Quickly relieved 25c. and 50c.

IRON GRIP OF TROOPS ON STRIKE

St. Petersburg Near Martial Law—75,000 Workmen Now Out.

TERROR STILL REIGNS

Special Cable to Boston American.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 6.—(Noon.)—With 75,000 workingmen on strike in St. Petersburg and disquieting reports from many points in the provinces, the situation in Russia to-day is more critical than at any time since the dissolution of the Duma.

So far the strike in this city has been extremely orderly, but the government has taken every precaution to make it so. Every public building is under heavy guard, each railway station under protection of the troops, the river is patrolled by armed boats, and to all intents and purposes the town is under military rule.

Arrest 250 Strike Leaders.

Up to this writing about 250 arrests of strike leaders have been made, mostly of men who insisted upon speaking upon the streets. One street car conductor was arrested while reading his paper, charged on account of the uprising at Sveaborg.

At the Apraksin Market strike agitators were badly beaten by anti-strikers who refused to leave their work. Twenty workmen were injured in clashes with the police.

Flogged to Death.

Twenty-five hundred miners in the Moscow pits have joined the strike, notwithstanding the fact that three of their number were whipped to death by Cossacks in a fruitless endeavor to break up the miners' meeting.

The mines have been flooded, and the soldiers are now at work pumping out the pits.

Railroad men have been intimidated by the new law making strikes affecting means of communication a penal offence. The laws providing severe punishment were enacted with direct reference to general strikes.

The council of workmen's deputies, which met secretly at Terioki, Finland, was so incensed at the timidity of the railroad men that it decided to resort, if necessary, to the blowing up of bridges and the destruction of the roadbeds, etc., to bring the transportation service to a standstill. Representatives of all the revolutionary parties and emissaries from Moscow, Kieff, Riga, Odessa and other cities were present at the meeting. The telegraphers thus far have been appealed to in vain. The final meeting of the council was proceeding at 1:30 this morning.

TERROR STILL REIGNS.

A steady downpour of rain all day long prevented the open-air gathering scheduled for the day in St. Petersburg and the consequent possibility of collisions and disorders. The day was without incident, except for the departure for Cronstadt of the eighteenth naval equipage.

Telegrams from the interior throw little light on the manner in which the country may be expected to respond to to-day's call for a strike. There has been no cessation in the number of the robberies and murders in the interior.

There is a nervous apprehension of impending revolution. For two weeks Cossacks have been quartered in the residences of the governor and chief of the commandants and at public buildings.

President reports are to the evening conditions at the garrison.

WORKMEN SINGING THE "MARSEILLAISE" IN THE STREETS OF ST. PETERSBURG AS DEFIANCE TO THE CZAR

Remarkable scene in Russian capital after Nicholas' proclamation dissolving the Duma was issued.

ODESSA IN FEAR OF REVOLUTION, GUARDS OF COSSACKS DOUBLED

ODESSA, Aug. 6.—Telegraphic communication between here and Sebastopol has been interrupted for the last forty-eight hours. Governor General Kaulbars has not yet returned from Sebastopol.

Flashlight signals were exchanged all night last night between the roof of the commandant's residence here and a torpedo boat destroyer a few miles at sea. The destroyer then started at full speed toward the Crimea.

PEASANTS KILLED BY COSSACKS, DISORDER SPREADS IN EMPIRE

VORONEZH, Aug. 6.—Peasants of Bobrguisha, who had assembled for the village fair, attacked a patrol of Cossacks yesterday. The latter replied with two volleys. Several peasants were killed or wounded.

At Yekaterinoslav the conductor of a street car was arrested for reading to his passengers, among whom were several soldiers, accounts of the mutiny at Sveaborg.

At Minsk two workmen were arrested at the barracks for distributing revolutionary proclamations among the troops.

At Poltava the bench has been applied to the stables, granaries and other buildings on the estate of Princess Chaplitsky. A ukase still was also destroyed. The queen diaries are not known.

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—It was learned today that Narodny and nearly all the prominent Russian revolutionists who have been in this country have secretly returned to Russia.

"NO MAN WORTH $100,000."

FONTAINE, O., Aug. 6.—"No man is worth a salary of $100,000," declared Governor Hanly of Indiana in a Chautauqua address yesterday as he berated the management of the big insurance companies. He declared that the resignation of Cummings on his elevation to the highest office in the order

VANDERBILT-SEARS MATCH IS RUMORED

North Shore Folk Excited Over Young Harold's Attention to Social Favorite.

SHE HAS GONE TO NEWPORT

Rumors of an engagement which will unite a member of the wealthy Sears family of this city and the Vanderbilts all the air all along the North Shore. On the broad verandas of the homes of society folk and on the sands of the beach when the smart set is on parade the chief topic of conversation is furnished by the marked attention that Harold Vanderbilt is showing to Miss Eleonora Sears, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Sears.

Miss Sears is one of the most expert of the women tennis players of the East, a firm follower and devotee of golfing, rolling autoing, in fact, a great lover and patron of all the branches of athletic sports in which society indulges, and she is a social favorite, too. Her fellow members of the exclusive Vincent Club have shown her honor after honor, and now they are awaiting with due eagerness the opportunity to congratulate her on a marriage engagement.

Mr. Vanderbilt, who several times has been reported on the verge of engagement to New York and Newport society belles, is a guest of Harold Duvall at Beverly Farms. He has been there for some weeks, and during this time he was introduced to Miss Sears. Immediately he showed marked interest in The Boston young woman. This interest extended to driving and walking together.

Soon it got to be no uncommon sight to see the two together, and then the rumor started. From where it came there is no telling. It went like wildfire and swept from one end of the North Shore to the other.

Undoubtedly the two most concerned heard it, but it did not seem to cause them to relinquish any of the pretty little attentions, and smilingly they walked and drove as before.

When it was becoming most apparent Miss Sears suddenly left for Newport, where, it is said, she will remain for some time. It is remembered, however, by all the society folk that Mr. Vanderbilt has a great liking for the Newport season and also that many members of his family are there.

HANDSOME GIFT TO CUMMINGS

A gold locket and chain were presented yesterday to Matthew J. Cummings, who was recently elected president of the national A. O. H., by the members of Division 26, Neponset, of which Mr. Cummings is a member.

About 300 members were present, and each personally congratulated President Cummings on his elevation to the highest office in the order.

A Public Duty and Its Performance

If you personally owned the entire equipment and personally controlled the entire organization of the American Cigar Co.—

And if you used this equipment and knowledge to produce cigars exclusively for your own smoking—

You could make no better cigars nor make them more carefully than we are now making them for you.

We believe that the possession of the largest equipment, organization, resources and business ever known in the cigar industry, binds us to a *public duty* to give the public the best cigar possible to make. Furthermore,

It is Good Business Policy

We are good enough judges of human nature to appreciate the fact that meritorious service is the best and most permanent foundation for commercial success.

If we give better cigars at lower cost than can be given by any other manufacturer, we shall secure, by perfectly logical and common-sense methods, what is virtually a *franchise* from the public to supply it with its cigars.

A franchise based upon *public preference* is stronger and more enduring than any that can be secured by legislative enactment, and it is this sort of franchise, obtained in this way, that we are after.

Gaining Success by Deserving It

Cigar smokers know what they want. Taste is constantly improving, demanding better goods all the time. There is no way of *forcing* people to purchase any brand of cigar which does not appeal to them on its own merits.

From the beginning, we have devoted the entire force of this organization and equipment to the problem of improving cigar quality and lowering cigar cost.

THE "TRIANGLE A"

MERIT MARK

Insures Honest Cigar Values

An "All-Around" Production

The products of our various factories include every variety of cigars—from the little cigar such as the "Royal Bengals" to the highest type of "Seed and Havana."

An important advantage in this comprehensiveness of output lies in the power it gives us to grade our tobacco very accurately. This assures unvarying uniformity—a feature much appreciated by the discriminating smoker.

The tremendous improvement in quality, due to our new and exclusive processes of curing, blending and ripening American grown leaf, extends through our entire line.

These processes are performed in our own gigantic "stemmeries." They have superseded the old, crude haphazard methods which have been followed with blind devotion since the days of Sir Walter Raleigh.

These scientific processes have improved the domestic cigar at least 100 per cent., giving a "mellowness," mildness, freedom from bitterness and a developed fragrance to our 5c. cigars, for example, which were by no means common even in the 10c. cigar a few years ago.

An Unbroken Line of Successes

This improvement has been demonstrated to the smoking public with ever-increasing emphasis by the appearance of brand after brand of cigars selling at 5c. possessing a superiority which has made them instantly popular and permanently successful. These are of different brand-names and different characteristics, but are all marked with our "▲" (Triangle A) merit-mark and possess the fundamental qualities of fragrance and "ripeness" for which the "▲" (Triangle A) stands unerringly.

This "▲" merit-mark appears on the front of every box containing such cigars, and may be accepted implicitly as a guarantee of mellowness, "smoothness," quality, fragrance and uniformity of character.

The NEW Cremo Victoria Size—5¢

The latest "▲" (Triangle A) production is "*The New Cremo*" in Victoria size at 5c. which, perhaps better than all that have preceded it, exemplifies the immense improvement that has been effected by our experiments and equipment.

Our purpose is that our organization and resources shall always be used to the increasing betterment of cigar quality and to the lowering of cigar cost.

AMERICAN CIGAR COMPANY, Manufacturer

FAST TROLLEYS CRASH HEAD ON; NINE INJURED

Both Cars Moving at 20 Miles an Hour and Meet on Sharp Curve.

DISPATCHER IS BLAMED

WORCESTER, Aug. 6.—Two heavy cars of the Worcester and Holden street rail road crashed together and seriously injured nine persons, hurting many more, yesterday, at Dawson. The cars came together while traveling at the rate of nearly twenty miles an hour. There were about fifty passengers on one car, while the other was nearly empty. Most of the people were on their way to visit friends at the state Sanitorium for consumptives at Rutland.

The cause of the accident is given as the failure of Foreman James Gardiner at the car barn to notify the crew of the Worcester-bound car to lay for a west-bound car.

Both motormen jumped when they saw the collision was inevitable. Carroll Adsit shut off the power of his car before jumping. Both his legs were broken. Motorman Johnson was not injured.

The most seriously injured are Mrs. Preseia Compelont, Holden court, Boston, skull fractured, will die; Roland Johnson, Worcester, badly bruised; Florence Johnson, his sister, bruised; Mrs. George Garrett,

American Princess and Children for Newport

DAUGHTER OF GENERAL GRANT AND TITLED SON TO VISIT NEWPORT

Society Plans Royal Greeting to President Grant's Granddaughter and Prince Cantacuzene.

Boston, badly cut; Miss Lizzie Garrett, her daughter, sprained knee; Bertha Royce, Cavendish, Vt., cut; Anna Royce, sister to Bertha, bruised; Sarah Hunnings, Bedford, bruised leg.

Physicians and ambulances were hastened to the scene to care for the sufferers.

Neither car left the rails, which is accountable for so few injuries, the railroad experts state.

Special to the Boston American.

NEWPORT, R. I., August 6. The Prince and Princess Cantacuzene, who have just arrived in this country, are expected in Newport soon, and their coming is awaited with keen interest by the society set.

Princess Cantacuzene was Miss Julia Grant, daughter of General and Mrs. Frederick Dent Grant, and grand-daughter of General Ulysses S. Grant.

The Cantacuzenes will bring with them their two little children whom the mother's friends here have never seen. They are little Prince Michael and his sister, Princess Beatrice. The fact that they have brought their titled offspring with them adds interest to their coming.

The family will first visit General and Mrs. Fred Grant at Mount Grettis. It is probable that the honor will be succeeded by a round of visits at some of the other cottages, as Julia Grant was popular here as a girl, and she has been sadly missed during the past seven years.

Society recalls the splendor of the Julia Cantacuzene-Grant nuptials. There was a double service. The first one was that of the Russian Orthodox church. It took place Sunday evening, September 25, 1898, at Beaulieu, the William Waldorf Astor estate which was being occupied that summer by the Potter Palmers. The Rev. Father Botovitsky officiated, assisted by another priest from New York. General Fred Grant, father of the bride, was on service in the Philippines. So his son, Ulysses Grant, 3d, conducted his sister to the altar.

Monday came the second service, of the bride's faith. Both ceremonies were attended by fashionable guests, and in all details were particularly magnificent.

SAYS CHARLIE ROSS IS LIVING

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—Impressive is the recital of Joseph Lewis, now at Mount Holly, N. J., concerning the abduction of Charlie Ross in Philadelphia about thirty years ago.

"Charlie Ross is living," asserts Likens. "I found that out six years ago, when I left Mexia, Holly for Galveston. Arriving there, I learned that a man was trying to find out who he was, stating that he came from Philadelphia. We met in a crowd, but I immediately picked out the man and told him he was the missing Charlie Ross. After that our friendship increased and we were together much."

MRS. MAYBRICK INCOG ON LINER

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—Mrs. Florence Maybrick arrived here from Europe last night on the French line steamship La Gascogne. She was down on the passenger list as Mme. F. Chanes, her maiden name. None of the other passengers knew she was Mrs. Maybrick.

A reporter who had met her before recognized her, and she admitted her identity.

"I have been abroad for three months," said Mrs. Maybrick.

She was asked if she had visited England and thus violated her ticket-of-leave, plac ing herself liable to arrest.

Mrs. Maybrick smiled and said: "Well, I have been abroad three months, and it stands to reason that I did not remain in one place all that time."

EXPRESSMEN AT CRESCENT PARK

If your expressman is a bit behind time to-day don't kick. The Boston Expressmen, Mrs. Expressman and several hundred Express packages to the number of 500 or more enjoyed a Sunday outing at Crescent Park, Providence.

The outing was under the direction of the Expressmen's Benefical and Sick Benefit Association, whose headquarters are in Providence. Benjamin Welch was in charge of arrangements.

The members, their wives and children enjoyed games, watched the balloon ascension, ate one of the Crescent Park shore dinners and had an all-round good time, returning home tired but happy.

HUSBAND'S NARROW ESCAPE.

CLINTON, Aug. 6.—Only because his wife put the cartridges wrong end to into the revolver which she tried to fire at him, saved William Brady from possibly instant death. Mrs. Brady has been arrested and will answer to a charge of attempt to murder in court to-day. She is believed to be insane.

Voigt Bros. August Sale of Odd Lots

Includes Men's Shirts, Pajamas, Hoisery, Underwear, Blanket Wrappers, Storm Coats, Steamer Rugs, House Coats, Neckwear, Fancy Vests, Flannel Suits, Golf Clubs, Sweaters, Caps, Golf Bags, Handkerchiefs, Sleeve Studs, Cravat Pins, Umbrellas. Also Ladies' Model and Sample Waists, Neckwear, Stocks, Belts, Sweaters, Kimonas and Lounging Wraps . . . .

ONE-THIRD TO ONE-HALF USUAL PRICE

Washington and Summer Streets, Boston, U.S.A.

BRANDS AS LIE STORY OF JAIL EASE FOR THAW

Tombs Warden Flynn Denounces as False Sensational Dispatch to Pittsburg Paper.

MONEY BUYS NO FAVORS

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Aug. 6. A sensational story was printed in Pittsburg yesterday and telegraphed all over the country that Harry K. Thaw was leading a life of ease and luxury in the Tombs.

In every detail this story was branded as false yesterday by Warden Flynn to an American reporter, and the matter went on to tell a most interesting story of Thaw's actual life in the Tombs, his behavior and experience.

"Harry Thaw gets no favors and no considerations that are withheld from other prisoners," said Warden Flynn. He makes no attempt to parade his wealth. He demands an exact and itemized accounting from the prison caterer of the man who serves him with newspapers and from others to whom he has to pay money for services rendered. One would never know from his prison life that he had any large amount of money at his command, in fact, I do not think he has more to spend than many of his fellow prisoners.

To emphasize his statement, Warden Flynn sent his deputy, Hanley, to see if Thaw would receive the AMERICAN reporter. Hanley returned with the message that Thaw would see no one except his lawyers and the relatives who visit him nearly every day. Deputy Hanley, however, carried in his hand the "Smyrna" rug that has been commented upon at length in the Pittsburg newspapers. The rug was nothing but an old piece of carpet.

"Thaw seemed excited when I spoke to him about the carpet," said Deputy Hanley. "Is it against the rules?' Thaw said to me, as he hurriedly picked up the carpet and threw it through the bars of his cell door. When I told him it was penalized he suggested that I bring it down and show it to you."

Briefly, Thaw's daily prison routine is as follows, and it is no different from that of any one of the several hundred other prisoners here, excepting those in the prison hospital or under observation:

Thaw's Daily Routine.

"He is taken by a keeper between 6 and 6:30 o'clock and goes for a bath in a room used for that purpose by inmates or more other prisoners on the second tier. At 7 o'clock he has breakfast in his cell. For two hours he has the privilege, with other prisoners, of an exercise walk up and down the corridor. After the noon meal every prisoner is locked in his cell, and then has permission to receive visitors.

"Thaw never sees his wife and mother except through the bars of his cell and with a locked door between him and his callers. Usually one of the other prisoners or two of them, if Mrs. William Thaw and Mrs. Harry Thaw visit the prison together, confronts Thaw and Mrs. Wooden cell benches for the occasion. Thaw sees his lawyers it is during the regular visiting hour, and in the manner described above, unless he chooses to see them in the barred room for consultation on the main floor of the prison.

"Smoking and reading are Thaw's means of pastime. He smokes a pipe generally and occasionally a cigar. If he smokes cigarettes he does so infrequently. His pipe is one of the ordinary briarwood kind.

Read All the Papers.

"Night and morning the newspapers are delivered to him in prison messengers. He reads every newspaper published in English in this city and all of the Pittsburg papers. You may be sure nothing bearing on his case escapes him. Most of the books he reads are brought here by his wife, but he frequently sends out for one. The 'compositor' is one that he is reading now. He sent a messenger to buy it for him.

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The association will be "run by the people and for the benefit of the people," according to the statement of Mayor Brush to-day. "No trust can come into Mount Vernon and think it can rob the people," he added.

Contracts have been made for the erection of a $7,000 plant on the banks of the East Chester Creek by Mayor Brush, who is the only independent chief executive the city of Mount Vernon ever had.

JAPS TO TAKE CALIFORNIA!!!

Special Cable to Boston American.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 6. The Novoe Vremya prints a lengthy article prophesying war between the United States and Japan. The prediction is that Japan will be victorious that the Philippines and Hawaii will be seized and that the Japanese will occupy California.

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Discovering a fire at No. 41 Warrenton street this morning Robert Briggs, a milkman, hurled a bottle of milk through the window and then ran to box 61, yelling fire. The blaze was in the houses from No. 35 to 41 Warrenton street. J. B. Simpson, a carpenter, rescued a Chinaman, whose face and hands were badly burned. He was taken to the hospital. The damage is about $1,500.

THREE HURT BY AUTO RUNNING DOWN TEAM

BURLINGTON, Vt., Aug. 6.—Chester Johnson lost control of his automobile last evening and smashed into a team driven by Mrs. Walter Winters, pushing the wagon on to the horse's back and hurling her to the ground. She received several bruises on the shoulders and legs. The automobile was turned over, pinning Johnson and his companion, Thomas Farrell, to the ground. They were not badly injured, but the machine was wrecked.

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TUESDAY.

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COLLINS GOES OUT SCOUTING

AMERICAN LEAGUE

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	70	37	.654
New York	70	37	.654
Cleveland	62	44	.585
Chicago	58	47	.552
St. Louis	42	62	.404
Washington	38	67	.362
BOSTON	34	78	.304

GAMES YESTERDAY.

At Chicago: Chicago, 10; Philadelphia, 2.
At St. Louis: St. Louis, 2; New York, 1.

GAMES SCHEDULED TO-DAY.

BOSTON at Cleveland.
New York at St. Louis.
Philadelphia at Chicago.
Washington at Detroit.

BATTING ORDER.

BOSTON.	CLEVELAND.
Harden, r.f.	Hinkman, c.f.
Percal, s.s.	Jackson, l.f.
Stahl, c.f.	Turner, s.s.
Perrit, 2b.	Hinkle, 2b.
Hoey, l.f.	Stovall, 1b.
Freeman, 1b.	Coughlin, r.f.
Morgan, 3b.	Barbeau, 3b.
Armbruster, c.	Kittredge, c.
Tannehill, p.	Joss, p.

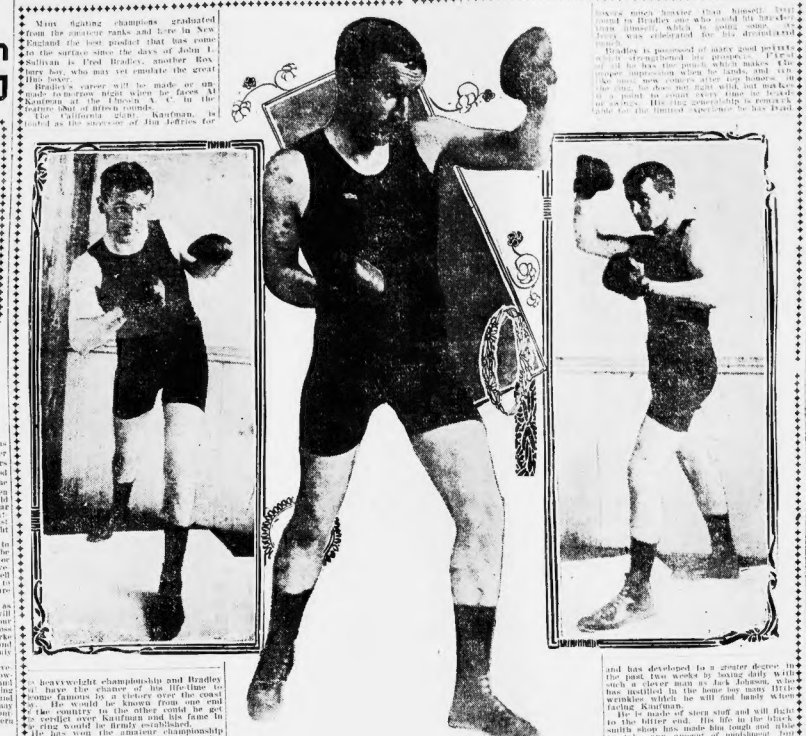
CLEVELAND, Aug. 6.—Manager Collins rejoined the Cellar Champions to-day after spending Sunday in scouting for players in the Central League. It is understood he wanted Osborne, right fielder of the Canton (Ohio) team, and had he been on the ground a week sooner he would have landed him. Osborne is a star right fielder and leads the league in batting. Clark Griffith looked him over last Sunday and the Chicago Nationals bought him yesterday.

Collins is making strong efforts to strengthen his team and it would not be surprising to hear of his corralling one or two stars before the Boston leave Cleveland. He has the Central League as well as the Ohio and Pennsylvania Leagues to pick from in this section, and there are stars in both.

The former champions are nearly as badly crippled as the Naps, whom they will meet this afternoon for the first of a four game series. Tannehill and probably Joss will pitch. Catchers Bemis and Clarke are still out of the game and Buelow's hand is sore. Malachi Kittredge is the only healthy backstop the Naps have.

A shakeup is impending in the Cleveland team as the result of the poor showing made against the Highlanders and the Athletics. It could not be surprising to see Barbeau filling Bradley's shoes and Congalton, outfielding. Lajoie may go to third and Stovall to first base. An outfielder and a star pitcher from the Southern League have been signed.

FRED BRADLEY OF ROXBURY, WHO MAY WEAR HEAVYWEIGHT BELT



Many fighting champions graduated from the amateur ranks and here in New England the best product that has come to the surface since the days of John L. Sullivan is Fred Bradley, another Roxbury boy, who may yet emulate the great Hub boxer.

Bradley's career will be made or unmade to-morrow night when he faces Al Kaufman at the Dreamland A. C. in the feature bout of fifteen rounds.

The California giant, Kaufman, is touted as the successor of Jim Jeffries for heavyweight championship and Bradley has developed to a greater degree than the past few weeks by boxing daily with such a clever man as Jack Johnson, who has instilled in the home boy many little wrinkles which he will find handy when facing Kaufman.

He makes a slow start and will fight to the bitter end. His life in the black smith shop has made him tough and able to take any amount of punishment but his excellent defense has saved him a lot of trouble in the bouts he has figured in.

Bradley is possessed of many good points in a long-limbed fighting machine. One of his best points is his straight left jab, which makes the opponent wonder where he lands, and if the latter now comes after top honors in the ring, they must not overlook Bradley as a point to count every time he leads for an opening. His fighting ambition is made for the limited appetizer he has had.

Photos by Boston American Staff Photographer.

FANS GIVEN TREAT AT SOUTH END GROUNDS

BATTING ORDER.

BOSTON.	PITTSBURG.
Bridwell, s.s.	Leach, rf.
Dougherty, c.f.	Beaumont, c.f.
Bealn, 3b.	Clarke, l.f.
Bates, rf.	Wagner, s.s.
Howard, l.f.	Nealon, 1b.
Ferris, 2b.	Abbaticchio, 2b.
Needham, c.	Schlei, c.
Stivetts, p.	Willis, 3b.
Pfeffer, p.	Tannehill, p.

SOUTH END GROUNDS, Boston, Aug. 6.—The Boston and the Pittsburgs met in a double-header at the local park this afternoon. The first game started at 3 o'clock.

The Boston team ground showing during the past week was a factor in the attracting of a large crowd, as was the Pittsburg team's position in the pennant race.

The name of Hans Wagner is one to conjure with at the local links, the same as that of Lajoie at the American League grounds. It means that all the fans like to see the big German shortstop in action and more especially like it when a Hub pitcher is able to put him out.

Manager Clarke announced himself to pitch the opening game, and if he did send the ball he was going to see him in the second game, too. It was the former Des Moines twirler who beat the Brooklyns in a thrilling game last week, and he was very confident of beating the Bostons.

Fred Tenney thought he would pitch Pfeffer in the opening struggle and Gus Dorner in the second game.

Catcher Eddie Phelps of the Pittsburgs, a guest this season of the Copley Square ground fans (commonly called the Royal Rooters), visited the Hub grounds this morning. Phelps had just returned from Chicago, where, he announces, a little star has just arrived to take his place when he gets too old for the baseball business.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Chicago	68	30	.694
New York	67	36	.650
Pittsburg	63	41	.606
Philadelphia	58	45	.563
St. Louis	49	54	.476
Cincinnati	46	56	.451
Brooklyn	39	64	.379
BOSTON	35	70	.333

GAMES YESTERDAY.

GAMES SCHEDULED TO-DAY.

BOSTON v. Pittsburg (2 games) at South End Grounds.
New York at New York.
Chicago at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at Brooklyn.
Cincinnati at Cincinnati.

There has been a great deal of dispute lately as to the real owner of Rockstop Phelps. The Boston Americans claim him, and the National Baseball Commission, headed by Garry Herrmann, awarded him to the local club. However, Garry Herrman reversed his decision and gave Phelps to the Pittsburgs.

The Bostons could not show one scrap of paper to the effect that they owned Phelps, but simply relied on Billy Locke, of the Pittsburgs, to-day. The only communication received was a letter came from Dan Johnson, president of the American League, saying he knew of no reason any personal interest in the Boston club. The Bostons could not be entitled to Phelps than the Russian Duma.

With Phelps the Pirates have now three backstops, the other two being Heinie Peitz and Gibson.

AUTO PARADE AT TAUNTON FAIR

By J. C. KERRISON.

A. E. Barber having charge of the automobile events, to be held in connection with the British Council Fair at Taunton, has announced the holding of an automobile parade. He will offer a $50 silver cup to the person driving the best dressed car to the parade, and a cup for the decorated motor car, $25 silver cup to the third best decorated car. Another silver trophy will be awarded to the driver who shall make the longest distance to the fair, and a large cup to the club having the largest number of members in the parade. The auto racing for the prizes has been abandoned as it is believed by the committee to be too dangerous a practice for a mile track.

The record A. A. A. tour will offer food for discussion and criticism for months to come. Critics now have a subject which they can talk about, and what guises will the dear creatures, devoid of the Vanderbilt, then the make up of the several teams will be next in order. Interesting, and the tour will take a secondary position.

No matter what is said or done it cannot be denied that the tour was of inestimable value to the trade in general.

The four-cylinder Maxwell driven by C. W. Kelsey in the recent tour, and which captured the Pending trophy, was placed on exhibition at the Massachusetts avenue establishment of the company this morning. Standing along side the car for the first time the Pending trophy, which was earned by Mr. Kelsey after a battle of several days, was viewed by many in the tour. While anxious to secure this trophy Mr. Kelsey exhibited commendable coolness and care for his fellow. On several occasions he deliberately stopped and assisted other machines out of ditches, all the while losing time on his own account. One accident nearly robbed him of the trophy, as he arrived at the control station with but 30 seconds of his scheduled time, and escaping penalization by a hair's breadth. It was a sportsmanlike action, and Kelsey and car are standing forward in the list of official list or among his fellows on the run.

H. H. Rice, sales manager and publicity man of the Marmon, spent the greater portion of the week in Boston as the guest of Frank E. Wing, who was the only Boston car to make a run through the recent run without suffering penalization. Mr. Rice accompanied Mr. Wing on this trip, and who has not enjoyed some little pleasure touring.

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Theodore Walters, who for several years has been identified with the Columbia Motor Vehicle Company in this city, left Saturday for Washington, D. C., where he goes to accept the management of the electric agency of the Electric Vehicle Company. Mr. Walters' promotion is in line with the policy of the Hartford company in advancing its conscientious workers. Those who know Mr. Walters are satisfied he will make a ten strike in his new position.

FRANK GREER IS UNABLE TO DEFEND TITLE

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—Frank B. Greer of the Boston Athletic Association, champion sculler of America, will be unable to defend his title at the national regatta on Lake Quinsigamond Friday and Saturday, for his name is not included in the official list by the regatta committee of the National Association of Amateur Oarsmen, which met here for the purpose of passing on the eligibility of those entered at the New York A. C. to-day.

About two months ago Greer left the East Boston Athletic Association, a member of the Boston A. A., and thereby violated the rules of the National A. A. A. O., which stipulates that an oarsman must be a member of a club for three full months before he can represent it in open competition. The attorney and private the actual objection to Greer's entry could not be learned, but there was a report that the rejection of his name for the championship sculler sculls was not unanimous there being a vote of two in his favor.

For the past couple of weeks the Greer entry caused unlimited discussion. Quite a few fair minded critics declared that Greer should be allowed to start, and it was pointed out that he was not a professional, as he did not appear in public competition since he had captured the championship, which made his case different from a man who would scurry around scooping up everything in sight.

Against this sportsmanlike feeling there was, however, a hard-headed partisan clique, actuated by the narrowest motives of amateur sport, who would that the law should be enforced and Greer deprived.

DARSMEN OUT ON THE RIVER

Despite yesterday's oppressive heat the aspirants for rowing honors at the national championships to be held at Worcester this week put in their usual amount of work on the river at Riverside.

The Riverside senior eight which will oppose the junior eight event did some hard work and the crew looks very good. The great heat at times has told on the long rows a handicap.

Hickman and Hall, the St. Alphonsus pair, who are entered in the intermediate double sculls, are in Worcester at present and did not vary from their usual work.

Frank Harvey, the Boat Builder's son, will row at Worcester, was out in his single shell.

On the whole the oarsmen who will represent Boston in the regatta on the coming regatta are a very likely bunch.

CORBETT KNOCKED HIM OUT, HE SAYS

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—James J. Corbett, former champion heavyweight prize fighter, was summoned to court yesterday on complaint of his sailkman, Joseph Grant, who says he was assaulted Saturday morning near Corbett's home at Bay Side, L. I. He says Corbett struck him on the point of the chin and knocked him out.

KING GIVES A CUP.

LONDON, Aug. 6.—King Edward has presented the New York Yacht Club with a beautiful silver gilt cup.

Goldfield Likely to Get Bout Between Battler and Gans

NELSON MAY SIGN TO-DAY

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 6. The situation in connection with the Gans-Nelson fight has become somewhat more complicated. Ted Rickard wired from Goldfield to Examiner:

Nolan has accepted Goldfield's offer to articles. Have been unable to get direct answer from Gans. Thirty thousand guaranteed with John S. Cook, banker, Gold field. Crocker Woolworth, San Francisco. Goldfield, Salt Lake, also guarantee Rickard followed this up with another gram, reading:

Nolan leaves Salt Lake for Goldfield to-night to sign articles for fight. Have heard nothing from Gans. Is he in city? If he misses will have to make arrangements with someone else."

The contents of the two telegrams were communicated to Gans, and his answer left no doubt of his desire to meet Nelson.

"I will sign anything that Nolan will," he said, "my place, any time suits me, and although I would rather fight in San Francisco if Nolan and his manager prefer to accept the Goldfield offer I will sign just as quickly as they do."

The question is now whether Graney's train fast is not on a wild goose chase. If Graney took the precaution to wire Nolan he had started for Salt Lake it is strange that Nolan, as mentioned in Rickard's telegram, started for Goldfield without waiting for the San Francisco offer which Graney has to make.

Nolan's telegram, received by Graney on Sunday, stated that he would expect him in Salt Lake on Sunday morning, and it may be that Nolan has not heard from Graney and thinks that the chance to bring off the fight in this city at the same time offered by Goldfield is out of the question, and that he is on his way to the latter town for the Nevada bout.

NELSON SAYS BOUT WILL TAKE PLACE AT GOLDFIELD

SALT LAKE, Utah, Aug. 6.—There are no prospects for the Gans-Nelson fight being pulled off in San Francisco, according to Battling Nelson. He returned this morning. He said that Nolan was still in the city and would meet Eddie Graney sometime today.

"Goldfield has dealt squarely with us, and in spite of the big purse offered, the guarantee, $42,000, we are compelled to pull the match off at Goldfield," said Nelson. "We have had a lot of things done and are confident that he will not change his mind. I expect to hear from Graney from sometime today, and Nolan will meet him. The latter made a poor showing at Curtis bridge, and Lewis showed good against Nolan. He looks like Harry.

"Owing to an injury to Belfield Wallace's right hand, which Dr. Rosborough Joe Gregg that he was unable to take place in Gloucester Monday was postponed till August 13.

According to western papers, Jimmy Gardner and Dick Fitzpatrick are to meet in Grand Rapids, August 15. Teddy Mitchell, manager of Gardner, knows nothing about such a match.

It is definitely decided that Saturday Spike Robson and Marty Belfield, would Johnny Mack, manager of Belfield, did not like the match, but he was persuaded by Mish Murray to accept his terms.

Harry Holmes, the Smiters feather-weight champion of England, is forced to quit the game. A few days ago he broke his right hand, and the physicians tell him his day as a boxer is over.

Frank Crolo, Coffee Cooler, still sticks to the game. He boxed a six-round draw with Steve Smith in London the other day.

Sam Bergen's sister married Joe Choynski's brother at Philadelphia a few days ago.

Terry McGovern has been offered a bout with the winner of the Tommy Murphy-Spike Robson bout at the National A. C., Philadelphia.

BARBERS PLAY HAVERHILL.

Boston Barbers' Union baseball team goes to Haverhill to play the barbers' team this afternoon.

MANY GOOD BOUTS FOR RING FANS ARE ON THE BOARDS THIS WEEK

Beside the big fight at Chelsea to-morrow night, Albert Delmont, who has been a eager to fight for the New Eng and amateur championship, will meet in a fifteen round go with Joe Grim, Dillon, Boston heavyweight argument for supremacy. Delmont came over here expecting to meet Tommy Walsh, but had a good offer from Philadelphia to meet Tommy O'Toole and accepted the chance. Walsh, who is looked upon as a prospect of a go with Walsh, accepted the chance, realizing a good end in the hand is worth more than a bird in the bush.

The week in Philadelphia, especially unacquainted to the fast six-round bouts over there.

In consequence Delmont made a poor showing at Philadelphia. They are looked for there by Jack Monaghan and others desirous of the holder of a belt with Walsh, made the latter look like thirty cents. In his next bout he was out of condition again, and lost to Walsh on a decision.

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Principal Bouts of the Week

MONDAY.

Spike Robson vs. Tommy Murphy, Philadelphia.

TUESDAY.

Al Kaufmann vs. Fred Bradley, Dreamland A. C., Boston.
Harry Lewis vs. Maurice Sayers, Grand Rapids.
Jimmy Scanlon vs. Joe Grim, Albion.
Young Sharkey and Ray Bronson, Urban, Ill.

FRIDAY.

Mike (Twin) Sullivan vs. Rube Smith, Boston.
Benny Yanger vs. Kid Herman, Indianapolis.

SATURDAY.

Walter Little and Kid Taylor at Lodi, Ingano, Mich.

WEDNESDAY.

Fred Gilmore vs. W. Harrison, Stratford, Canada.

THURSDAY.

Mike Twin Sullivan and Rube Smith will meet for the third time on Friday, August 10 in Philadelphia.

Mike won the first battle on a knockout in eighteen rounds, while the second bout was a draw after ten rounds of fighting. Rube is confident of victory by the Quaker City boxing and sporting writers, and will be beaten by Joe Gans.

Jeffries will have a benefit on Thursday night when he meets Harry Pinker, who is a good boxer for a 175-pound championship in the San Francisco camp. Thursday night, while on Tuesday Harry Lewis will meet Maurice Sayers. The latter made a poor showing at Curtis bridge, and Lewis showed good against Nolan, who looks like Harry.

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Yanger and Kid Herman fight. Herman's last battle with Aurelio Herrera has placed him on a high pedestal.

Yanger fought like a cyclone at Chelsea early in the year and then went to Philadelphia and was whipped in three rounds by Tommy Murphy. Herman will undoubtedly have a bit on the Tipton Slasher in weight. It should be a hurricane bout through all the ten rounds.

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COMBINATION GOOD TRACK FOR TRAINING

"The finest training track in the whole country," was the way George A. Grieves described Combination Park to-day in a letter to the BOSTON AMERICAN. The reason for the enthusiasm is found in the published statement from one of the men who has the course way he has found working over the track.

In the Spring Mr. Grieves had the surface of the track covered to the depth of a couple of inches with new coal to avoid the getting too hard during the training season.

Many of the leading trainers at Combination Park is Jimmie Timothy. Asked about the track he strongly about the condition of the track, he said:

"No, the footing is not hard. Around the first turn for a short distance it is rather hard, but all the rest of the track could not be in better shape. As is well known, the track is a five-lap mile, and a very fine place for a sprinter to get in his long swings."

In my opinion it is the best training place in New England, besides being the fastest half-mile track in the country. Taking into consideration that the trainers have the use of Mayor Will Cotter's horses being still adaptable, with its sandy footing, the horses can be kept in the finest shape, their legs and feet cool and smooth at all times."

COACH PAT DEMPSEY LEAVES GEORGETOWN

Patrick A. Dempsey, who has been coaching the crews at Georgetown University since 1902, has resigned his place and announces that he will go into the real estate business with his brother in Philadelphia. Dempsey will coach the crew of the Potomac Boat Club for the Middle States regatta on Labor Day and says that will be his last appearance as a coach.

SPA GAMBLING ON, BUT BEHIND CLOSED DOORS

SARATOGA, N. Y., Aug. 6.—The opening of the racing season here to-day finds things more in swing, but it is a noticeably shorter swing than usual. The crowds are fully up to expectation and the display of handsome and pretty clothes on the part of women, and healthy bank rolls by the sport loving men who attend the races, is nothing to be desired. But the lack of fascinating sidelights, which have in reality generally been the main show, Saratoga is not up to the standard. The gambling has been curtailed. This curtailing has been carried to such a degree as makes the difference. To be sure there is a big crowd in front of the betting ring and pool room variety, but this year it is being conducted behind closed doors, and in a much less conspicuous way. There is no flaunting of money, however, this little bit left to be lifted higher until the odds are declared.

Canfield's place opened for gambling Saturday night. But it was a tamed down affair indeed. The place will be run with the closed doors, and during recess and from door closed doors. The season will not be a gambling room of his resort will not be thrown together as usual. Fair women and brave will no longer be able to watch their male friends plunging in the adjoining gambling room.

LEG BROKEN IN FALL.

BURLINGTON, Vt., Aug. 6.—Willie B. Jones, a wealthy Buffalo, N. Y., resident who is visiting in this city, was thrown from a horse this morning and sustained a serious fracture of the left leg.

M'GOVERN MAY MEET WINNER

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 6.—Terry McGovern has offered a match with the winner of the Tommy Murphy-Spike Robson bout, which takes place here the big go at the Quaker City. The big go at the Quaker City. The offer was made by Manager Harry Pollock, who has charge of the affairs of Terry McGovern. The offer was made by Manager Harry Pollock, who has charge of the affairs of Terry McGovern. The offer was made by Manager Harry Pollock, who has charge of the affairs of Terry McGovern.

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HAVE YOU TRIED TO WIN THIS BIG DOLL'S HOUSE?

The Dolls' House Family Have Their Photograph Taken

SATURDAY a most interesting thing happened to the Happy family.

It was about 10 o'clock in the morning, and Mrs. Happy had just finished her housework and was thinking of going to market. She had made the beds and swept and dusted all the rooms.

Marjorie had helped all she could, and you know a little girl can help her mother a good deal if she tries hard.

All the breakfast dishes were washed and put away and the kitchen was as bright as a pin. Everything was in order.

Harold and Dorothy were taking care of the baby out in the tent, and Mr. Happy, who had a holiday, was reading his paper. Suddenly the front door bell rang.

THE HAPPY FAMILY IS PHOTOGRAPHED

Mrs. Happy opened the door and there stood a big man with a camera in his hand.

"Good morning, Mrs. Happy," he said. "I am a photographer from the BOSTON AMERICAN, and I have come to take a photograph of the Happy family."

Mrs. Happy, as you can imagine, was very much excited.

She ran to the window and called the children, and she talked so hard and so fast that Mr. Happy laughed at her.

Such a face-washing and hair-brushing you never saw.

Marjorie and Harold and the baby were as good as gold, but Dorothy was a naughty little girl and did not want to have her face washed at all.

"Very well," said her mother, "if you will not let me make you look neat I am afraid you cannot be in the picture."

"Indeed, no," said the photographer. "I could not have my picture spoiled by a little girl with a dirty face and untidy hair."

So Dorothy thought perhaps after all it would be better to be good, and stood patiently while her mother washed her face and combed her hair.

Just at the last minute who should come walking in but Mary the Maid.

MARY IS PHOTOGRAPHED, ALSO

"Oh, Mary," the children cried, "you are just in time to have your picture taken."

Then the photographer made them all stand all in a row. The baby cannot walk yet, so she sat on Mamma's lap.

So, here you see Happy, and take up their stand

Dorothy [illegible] Mamma Happy and baby Happy.

Mrs. Happy is such a good housekeeper and mother that everybody around her is always well and happy.

She keeps her house clean and comfortable and knows just how to feed her children, so that they will keep healthy and grow to be strong girls and boys.

Supposing you had a family of your own and a pretty house, how would you keep house and take care of the children?

HOW WOULD YOU KEEP HOUSE?

Write and tell the Doll House Editor just what you would do.

The little girl who writes the best letter will get the Happy House and family for her very own. Tell your age and give your full name and address.

Watch the Doll House Page and you will see a new picture every day of the Happy House or the Happy family.

They are a very interesting family, and I think they will have a good many adventures.

This Is the "Happy" Family of the Doll House Which Will Be Given Away to the Little Girl Who Writes the Best Letter on Housekeeping
Reading from Left to Right They Are: Marjorie, Mary the Maid, Baby Happy, Papa Happy, Dorothy, Mamma Happy and Harold.

ALL of these dolls, together with all the furnishings, will be given with "Happy" House to the little girl who writes the best letter on how she would keep house. Read the instructions for letters carefully and then write the best letter you can to the Doll Editor.

IN former pictures you have seen members of the "Happy" family grouped on the verandas and in the various rooms. Here they are as photographed Saturday afternoon gathered in a group picture. See if you can identify the members of the family.

Letters From Bright Little Girls Who Want to Win the Doll House

JUDGING by the size of yesterday's mails, every girl in the whole of New England wants the beautiful, big doll's house. Some of the letters are very good, some are greatly at

WOULD PAY CASH

DEAR DOLL EDITOR:

I am only twelve years old and can do housework. On Monday, I would wash; Tuesday, iron; Wednesday, bake bread and cake to last until Saturday; on Thursday, clean bedrooms; Friday, I would do the rest of the cleaning on Saturday, bake again to last until the next Wednesday. On Sunday, if I had children I would send them to church and Sunday school and go myself; I would keep them clean and give them plenty of good food and lots of fruit; I would teach them to be kind to others, and to do little chores; yes, I would go to market myself and pay cash for everything.

ANNIE BRADBURY, 12 years.
Box 21, Linwood.

HAPPY CHILDREN

DEAR DOLL EDITOR:

I would keep my house neat and clean. I should teach my children to keep house. I would be very good and kind to my children, as they would be loving and good themselves. I should always try to make them happy.

AMY LEAPLE, 7 years.
No. 307 Hunting avenue, Roxbury.

VERY SYSTEMATIC

DEAR DOLL EDITOR:

Monday, I do my washing; Tuesday, I do my ironing and tidy up; Wednesday, I clean my silver and do my mending; Thursday, I do my cooking; Friday, I do my sweeping and dusting; Saturday, I go to market and give my order. In the morning I give my children a bath and dress them; then I clean windows, then give them their breakfast, and take them out in the fresh air. At eleven I take them in, put on their night gowns and give rest of the week. I would treat my children nicely and expect them to treat me so, too. I would mind them in mind me.

ALDREY STAPLES, 12 years.
No. 1,079 Main street, Cambridge.

ATTIC TO CELLAR

DEAR DOLL EDITOR:

If I had your doll house I would keep it clean and tidy from the attic to the cellar. I would wash on Monday, iron on Tuesday, sweep on Wednesday, sew on Thursday, visit on Friday and cook on Saturday. I would love my children and treat them kindly. I would not give them much sweet food, but healthy food to eat.

MARGARET L. DONOVAN, 10 years.
Sohier street, Cohasset.

CHILDREN MUST MIND

DEAR DOLL EDITOR:

I would get up early in the morning and light a fire, then I would wake up my husband, after which I would get break fast. After he had gone to work I would clean off the table and set it again. Then I would wake the children up and have them clean up and have their breakfast and at 8.30 send them to school. When they had gone to school I would do me work. If you do, tell her to do it. Then I would go and visit my friends. I would have children must mind me.

MIRA FLAIG, 14 years.
No. 21 Electric avenue, West Somerville.

How to Win the Doll's House

HOW would you keep house?
How would you treat your children?
The best answer to these questions wins this beautiful doll's house with all its furnishings.
Write only on one side of the paper.
Do not write more than one hundred words.
Give age, name and address in full, and write plainly.
Address Doll's House Editor care of the Boston American, No. 80 Summer street.

By Beatrice Fairfax

The Young Man Who Is Tender and Loving to His Mother Will Make Any Girl a Good Husband

By Beatrice Fairfax

YOUNG man, how do you treat your mother?

Is your manner toward her tender and protecting, or is it casual and indifferent?

Let me tell you one thing, and that is that you will never find another woman who will think you such a wonderful being as she does.

You may marry a charming young woman, but her love for you will not be half as unselfish as your mother's is.

Her love is the only human love that endures through all things.

She sees a plainly dressed, simple, homely old lady, and he was a very finely dressed, fashionable young man.

I wish you could have heard his voice when he said, "Miss Fairfax, I want you to meet my mother."

If she had been the Queen of England, he could not have spoken more proudly.

And the mother looked at him as though he were the eighth wonder of the world.

A Good Husband

Some day some fortunate girl will win the love of that young man, and there's no doubt about his being a good husband. Such a son could not fail to make his wife happy.

Every mother is a little bit jealous just at first over her son's wife.

She knows that a wife has it so in her power to turn her husband's love away from his family.

The right kind of a wife, of course, will not do it, but there are some women who can't bear to see their husbands show any attention to their family.

There is an old saying that "A daughter's a daughter all her life, but a son is a son till he gets him a wife."

A mother does not deserve such treatment. She should always have her place in her son's heart, no matter how much he loves his wife.

Don't forget, boys, that of all loves your mother's is the most unselfish, and that she is among all the world who will never, in any circumstances, go back on you.

How Colors May Affect the Health

COLOR, it is now conceded, plays an important part in many ways as relates to the human body.

It would be well for the Summer girl to remember that if she has to have any other medicine than sunshine and the open air she should keep the doctor's prescription in a bottle of the right color.

For instance, if the tonic is of a sedative character for the nerves, it should be kept in a blue bottle.

Whether in the mountains or by the seashore, the color of [illegible] materially affects body and brain when you are exposed to the rays of the sun.

But what every one does not know, including the ingenue Summer girl, is that an orange-colored fluting to her hat will remove all danger of sunstroke and enable her to walk miles when the sun pours down its blistering rays, without the slightest discomfort.

That is, while she may feel the heat she will not receive it on the top of the head, where it has the greatest tendency to do damage.

Sunstroke is never caused directly by overheating the blood, as is popularly supposed. Scientists have recently proved by a series of exhaustive experiments that this dreaded malady is directly due to the effect of the sun on the head. Realizing the reasons, they have gone a step further, and furnish advice on how best to thwart the enemy.

The red rag is the one which is responsible. When the brain is overheated, the only problem. It proved immune to various devices designed to counteract it. Color after color was tried in vain effort to neutralize.

Then orange was suggested, and when experimented with proved a perfect success. The girl who is much in the blazing sun will do best to affect orange as a color for her headgear.

Another bit of sound advice for the Summer girl is to avoid wearing red veils, the most trying color to the eyes. They can even cause color blindness.

Advice to Anxious Sweethearts

By Beatrice Fairfax

UNNECESSARY FRETTING

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I'm a young lady, twenty-one years old, and have been keeping company with a young man for two years. I am engaged to him now about one month, but he has never told me what his salary is, and when I spoke of it to him he told me his own mother did not know what his salary was and he would not tell any one else. I feel as though he should tell me, and have been thinking of it very much. Will you kindly tell me if I should insist on you kindly tell me or not, as I feel very bad about it.

SADIE.

As you are engaged it would be most natural if he confided in you regarding his salary, but I do not see any necessity for your fretting over the matter. It is rather a delicate question to ask any one, and if I were you I would let the subject drop. Probably if you do he will tell you all about it some time.

"SHADOWS OF NEW YORK"

By Sidney Warwick

CHAPTER LXXXIV.
The New World

THE big dining room was crowded, and Haggard and his companion were only in time to secure the last vacant table in the room.

"You order the dinner," Grieve said, after a glance at the menu, the names of the dishes were as a sealed book to him, and he was rather apprehensive of betraying his ignorance before the waiter. "My drink's champagne."

Grieve started intently about him, taking in impressions of his surroundings, and rejoicing like a man of the world, to whom such places were no novelty, and succeeding but indifferently.

It was a new world that Grieve had entered, the beautifully decorated room, with its walls of deep red and gilded ceiling, full of the laughter and gay voices of women and the rustling of silken skirts; the perfumes, mingled perfumes of flowers and dishes and champagne that filled the air; the crowded stream of [illegible] and half-hidden by a miniature forest of palms.

Directly beyond the open window and the balcony that looked out over the city, it was still daylight; but within the lofty room electric lights glowed under rose shades, glittering softly on the white shoulders and arms of radiantly dressed women and sparkling on the silver and glass and vases of flowers, on the cut glass and white linen.

A peril shared by two men is often a bond that draws them together long after the peril is past; but Haggard's hatred of Grieve had been too deep-rooted for their escapade of the afternoon to have produced any such feeling on his part—independently of the cowardice Grieve had shown. Every hour Haggard passed in this man's company deepened that dark, smouldering antagonism.

Grieve reddened furiously.

"You had enough of your sneers to-day, I suppose you think I'm not good enough to be introduced to your friends," he said, in a low, malicious voice. Then he gave a short laugh. "But I'm your partner now, don't you forget that fact, and I'm going to be treated as such, or you'll find you're off in the wrong box!" And he tapped his breast pocket meaningly, where the packet addressed in Wynter's handwriting was. "I've a good mind to say yes and introduce me to those girls!" and he glared defiantly across the table.

Perhaps—To-morrow

For a moment or two Haggard went on eating his dinner as though he had not heard, then he said, calmly, in a low voice:

"You made a fool of yourself this afternoon, Grieve, by not taking my advice! those men, those professional gamblers, were a pretty dangerous crew to meddle with. But take this from me—not half as dangerous as I if you attempt to use such threats to me."

He paused as the waiter came up to ask for another choice of entrees. As though they were the best of friends, Haggard mentioned his preference to Grieve. The waiter moved silently away over the thick carpet.

"You dare to threaten me this morning before my clerks," Haggard went on. In the same low voice; "you chose to threaten me publicly in that gambling club; you threatened me again now——"

"Well," interposed Grieve, sullenly, "do you question my courage?"

"You are not content with your success," went on Haggard, ignoring the question. "Even after I have yielded to your extortionate terms, you lose no opportunity of reminding me of your power, or threatening me—you strike your antagonist when he has sheathed his sword.

"Even rogues should play the game. Suppose it be my whim to be rejected from a man of your origin—but it's a dangerous game, Grieve, to goad me too far."

A glint like the flash of fire on steel gleamed in his eyes as he leaned across the table and spoke the low, intense words that only Grieve could hear. That Grieve, having once erred his paltry secret, had trusted upon it, he could have forgiven; that was the fortune of war. But that this man, when his insatiable demands had been met, should in the insolence of triumph repeatedly remind him of his power, goaded Haggard to a very madness of fury. He thought of that packet in Grieve's breast pocket. Perhaps by to-morrow Grieve would have been stripped of his chief weapon.

A Brazen Cheek

The other did not answer. He looked sullenly back at the steely eyes bent on him; but the words had not been without their effect. He ate in silence, and drank freely of champagne.

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The picture was taken on Tremont street, near Bieber's store, when the streets were thronged with eager women shoppers about noontime Tuesday.

The accompanying picture was taken between the showers just before the closing time Saturday. The Camera Man knew the record of rains Saturdays during the past two months, but he went prepared for sloppy weather and caught his snapshot, just the same.

Do you know the original of this snapshot? If you do, tell her to call at the BOSTON AMERICAN office and get the prize which is awaiting her.

HINTS ON MARKETING

IN the first place, the housewife ought, where it is possible, to do her marketing herself, and pay cash for everything she purchases. This is the only way in which she can be sure of getting the best goods at the lowest price.

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WONDERLAND'S NEW FEATURES GREATEST YET

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In the "South Before the War" Wonderland have a real representation of old slavery plantation days as they have of life in the Western ranches in Wild Bill Kennedy's Wild West. Even the Ballet of the colored troupe is realistic. The members of the big company, singers and clog dancers, squat upon a row of big cotton bales and take and carry on their pranks just as they used to line up in front of the old cabins after a day's work in the fields before the Boys in Blue set them free.

Little wonder that this attraction plays to crowded houses all of the time. Slogfug always draws a crowd, but plain, old-fashioned colored singing has a charm of its own that is popular with everyone. The colored folk in the "South Before the War" are the plain-spun Southern article—a picture at times that—but when they "get a goin'" in the show they seem to forget that they have just left the cotton fields and the plantation and dance and sing with a gusto that could not be imitated.

All Genuine Darkies.

Manager Fuller has collected a splendid aggregation of colored talent, each member of his company being an artist in his own particular specialty. He says of them: "They are all genuine darkies of the type of 'Billy Cossus,'" and he is right. The dancing, the playing, the singing are full of a ring that makes it wholly realistic of old time slave life.

Fuller's comedians provide a large shade of plantation life—the pastimes and diversions nothing in log life are omitted and they were happy at their homes. The company is at present composed of thirty performers, and a well trained band and orchestra is attached.

In the choruses the very essence of the old ragtime songs of the colored folk of the South is rendered, and in light comic opera selections the company gives a really high class performance. The ballet specialty, which has been a feature of the show, will continue to be. Thousands of visitors at Wonderland to-day will crowd the Bijou theatre to hear the big and melodious combination of voices that has been assembled from negroes for years and years.

Changes Only Improve.

The "South Before the War" this week will not be the same as it was last. The thousands of persons who heard the singing and saw the dancing yesterday were agreeably surprised in the announcement that Mr. Fuller has worked into the programme. Each one is a decided improvement over the specialties which delighted everyone last week.

"I will not stand for anything stale," said Manager Fuller to a reporter for the BOSTON AMERICAN. "I recognize the fact that many of my patrons come here to hear the singing and to see the dancing and different ones many times over. It is not good policy or fair to the public to present the same old grind every week. This week we have introduced many new features and there will be more next week.

"I expect to greatly enlarge my aggregation of colored talent in a few days and can promise the public many new things. Attractions in a park are the principal thing where the people come to be amused by a short programme, many times repeatedly. So the South Before the War' in a week or two from now will be utterly unlike what it was a day or so ago. This week's show pleases me, but I think, the best I have put on the boards here at Wonderland."

Something Different Each Time.

The best of these will be kept for a few days and in the meantime new features are continually being added. Seeing the show once will not give anyone a license to say that there is no use to come again. We have patrons who come time and again, and they are always delighted, for there is always something new to entertain.

Yesterday's crowd at Wonderland were the regular Sunday visitors. Wonderland has its regular patrons. Every Sunday some thousands of familiar faces, for the great pleasantness of the surroundings and the transportation is so rapid and efficient that Wonderland is the most accessible of all of Greater Boston's attractions. A visit to the beach, combined with a trip through the pleasure grounds, means passing the thousands who have no day in the week except Sunday for pleasure.

The scenic railway is always popular with the masses. The ride is made on long trains of cars take the breathless beings coming people up into the air again, for the sensations are so startling and yet so perfectly safe that the long, incredible whirl along the lofty track with its plunges and steep grades is always delightful, the exhilaration that follows through the week court on their one day of leisure and recreation.

Rushed to the Limit.

Every attraction at Wonderland yesterday did about all the business that could be done under the circumstances. Special numbers were given and extra performances were the regular thing on the great-est day of the week.

To-day the great rush of BOSTON SUN DAY AMERICAN visitors who have cut out the free tickets from the paper begin. "Wild Bill" Kennedy invites them all to see the Wild West show and to visit with his Indian Congress. Wild West and hippodrome shows "printed" in the paper yesterday and hundreds of thousands of tickets cut them out. Today and to-morrow the great Wild West show will be playing to its entire seating capacity.

SINGLE TAXERS TO MEET.

The Boston Single Tax Society will hold open air meetings at Roxbury Crossing this evening, and at Central square, East Boston, on Wednesday evening. Edward Doherty, W. L. Crossman and other speakers will talk on the relation of the labor problem to the land question.

FURNITURE.

CASH PAID for furniture, carpets and household effects generally; settle, call or telephone 2733 Oxford. THE CULL VALUE for furniture, carpets, &c. 1 to 9 Hanover st., cor. Union st. Open evenings. J. DU, 39 Haverhill st., tel. 1308-2 Richmond.

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53 DAYS

have elapsed since the BOSTON AMERICAN filed with the Attorney-General a formal information and petition that he bring suit to force the New York, Haven & Hartford Railroad and the Boston & Albany Railroad to obey the law and to abandon the competing trolley lines which they have illegally acquired.

Why does the Attorney-General delay?

LABOR NEWS

LABEL PRINTING TRADES UNION LABOR COUNCIL STENCIL MARS 96

Boston gold beaters will go out on strike on Thursday next in common with those of the unions all over the country. Orders were received from the international union yesterday that every Boston man have his work cleaned up by Wednesday night in preparatory to going on strike the next day. The union will hold a special meeting on Thursday at No. 724 Washington street for full roll and registration.

The strike is to be an international one, its objects among many being to eliminate the outside shops, bring foremen into the union and to increase wages from seven to eight cents a book on piece work, and from $18 to $21 per week on time work.

REPORT ON NEW WAGE SCALE.

According to reports received at the meeting of the Sheet Metal Workers' executive board yesterday the new union wage scale of $3.00 per day, which is to be made effective on Aug. 1, is being generally established. One firm which had positively refused to pay $3.00 has now put the new rate Saturday. Two firms have only days other than Saturday, and on this report could be made by their employees. One, however, has signed the agreement, and it is expected the other will pay the rate.

National Organizer P. J. Downey, who is to act as international representative here, returned from New York yesterday. He reported that he had conferred with the New York officials and that New York agrees on official notice that men from the city, up to 100, can be given work over there, where business is rushing, at the New York $4.50 a day rate.

NEW PLAN PLEASES PAINTERS.

The progress of the district councils of the Painters' unions in and around Boston is highly gratifying to the union men generally. The latest addition is the new Arlington-Belmont painters' union, which will be instituted to-night at Arlington. Preliminary steps for a union of the Concord and Lexington painters, and also unions of the Melrose and South Braintree men are now under way.

The new Winchester-Woburn union men have already secured a 25-cent a day increase and the promise of 25 cents more next year. The effort in Greater Boston will be to establish a standard rate of $3 a day.

LABOR NOTES.

Foundry Employes' Union yesterday decided to have a mass meeting to minimize the unorganized shops and to appoint a new committee.

Harry W. Joel, the new A. F. of L. organizer for Cambridge, will conduct a campaign for the organization of the printers in that city and in Chelsea during the next few weeks.

At the quarterly Bill of Statutes Painters' Union No. 11 has issued a call for the Executive Board to be held at 8 o'clock in Webb memorial building, to act on urgent trade matters.

Cambridge Central Labor Union has elected President Michael H. Collins its delegate to the Massachusetts political labor conference in Webb Memorial building Tuesday of next week.

Boston Typographical Union No. 367, has received a telegraphic report from John Counahill, who is the International Typographical Union delegates in Chicago this morning. Mr. Counahill says that the seating arrangements for delegates who had arrived up to yesterday was in favor of the credentials committee. P. Rice of this city as international president.

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$22 ORDER for sale of Waltham watch; cost $20; Fairbanks banks; cost $25; exchange for typewriter, piano, bicycle, or what have you? Address Amerion.

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GOOD FILLED full jacketed Elgin watch, will trade for phonograph with gold shell; must be in good condition. Address HARRY, 1 Bulfinch st., Boston, Mass.

WANTED IN TRADE, set of Mass. reports; will also trade a Quaker brass heater. X 580, BOSTON AMERICAN.

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HEARST'S BOSTON AMERICAN

WILLIAM RANDOLPH HEARST

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The Faces of Dead Souls

And Other Faces Made Strange by Souls ALL VANITY. Which Are Sadder?

In a big railroad station women going one way—toward the city—and women going the other way—toward the living death of the insane asylum—passed one another.

Look first at the women insane, with souls disordered, dead, behind sad, heart-breaking faces.

These women were moving from the big city, the temporary home of the insane, to a lifelong prison in the country.

It was dreadful to look upon the hopeless procession—the vacant eyes, the pathetic, hopeless wandering of the minds so weak or gone.

These women, going their sad journey, seemed to fascinate the women going in the other direction. It was not so much the faces void of speculation as the dress—**OR RATHER THE ABSENCE OF THE DRESS IDEA**—that fixed the "sane" women's attention.

Insanity affects the human being strangely. **ALL things affect us strangely.**

In that procession of women some were fat and heavy, with animal faces. Others were thin, almost skeleton-like, with looks of intense, dreadful anxiety.

Some shuffled along nervously, timidly, ashamed; and others, with insane pride to modify their suffering, held their heads erect and stared around in mad arrogance.

But all were DRESSED alike. The dresses were of plain blue and white stuff—very much like the material used in covering mattresses.

All of the women had their hair parted evenly in the middle and drawn away simply across the forehead. The hair was arranged behind in two braids, and those braids at the ends were tied with ordinary pieces of twine, such as grocers use.

HOW KEENLY, WITH WHAT AMAZEMENT, THE WOMEN GOING TOWARD THE CITY FIXED THEIR EYES AT FIRST UPON THOSE PLAINLY DRESSED WOMEN AND THOSE SIMPLE BITS OF TWINE AT THE ENDS OF THEIR BRAIDS OF HAIR!

After a glance amazement changed to pity and fear when the mental condition of the poor women was understood. But it was clear that upon the minds of the SANE women facing them **A GREATER IMPRESSION HAD BEEN CREATED BY THE SIMPLE DRESSING OF THE HAIR AND THOSE LITTLE BITS OF STRING THAN BY THE MANIAC FACES, FREE OF THOUGHT AND VOID OF HAPPINESS.**

Of those poor insane women, each was in the care of a nurse, usually a woman, detailed to watch on the journey.

A few—the happiest of the unhappy creatures—were smiling, laughing in insane merriment.

The most pitiful were those that kept their eyes down and glanced furtively from side to side out of the corners of the eyes. Each of them had a man on either side, gently holding the woman by the arm, but ready for a violent outbreak of maniacal anger.

All the men and all the women that passed this sad procession stopped and gazed, each expressing sympathy according to his or her nature—some with sighs and exclamations, others shuddering.

How many of those who watched the insane women thought to contrast with them some of the women going in the opposite direction?

The train that had brought the passengers toward the city came from a "fashionable" part of the suburbs. In the crowd of women walking free and "sane" were some of those that get their names in the newspapers and their pictures in the fashion papers, with incidental introductions to royalty abroad and deceptions by bogus nobility at home.

To a man from another world, or to an ordinary, sensible man of this world, these "women of fashion" really looked more insane outwardly than the crazy women who were going to their home in the asylum.

There was among the mad women one nervous, dreadfully agitated young girl walking with two keepers holding her arms. Her face wore a look of fear and suspicion. But at the first glance she looked no more insane than a young woman, at liberty, who walked toward her.

The second young woman—typical of her kind in this world—looked for all the world as though she had escaped from some asylum and had secured unlimited money to indulge her lunacy in the way of dress.

Her hat was a wild curiosity. Turned up at one side, it certainly looked like the dream of a poor, diseased mind.

Her dress was a combination of torture at the waist, ridiculous fluffery at the bottom, and general preposterousness. At the end of a string she had a wretched little dog, harnessed up as though he had been a tiger held in leash. In place of boots she had foolish, pointed, pinching, airtight slippers, with high heels. She had an insane veil, a crazy walk, a silly self-complacency.

The poor crazy woman looked at her vaguely and aimlessly. She might well have said to her and to other women in the same crowd, "Madam, I am going to the insane asylum. Shall I keep a place there for you? You are evidently insane in your way, as I am in mine."

Some of us wonder why, with millions upon millions of human beings on this earth, **SO LITTLE PROGRESS IS MADE, SO LITTLE REAL INDIVIDUALITY SHOWN.**

That is partly explained by the fact that wealth, **WHICH GIVES OPPORTUNITY**, or at least **CAN** give opportunity, too often develops **MILD INSANITY.**

We do not look for good thought, capable mental work, within the walls of an insane asylum.

And it is almost hopeless to look for good work, energetic action of the mind, in the class which, with all the advantages of education, opportunity and possibility, devotes itself so often to foolish ornamentation, stupid conventionality, dull competition in ostentation and frivolity.

Nothing could be more typical of the two sad, useless extremes of life in this country than that crowd of women going toward the insane asylum and that other crowd of "fashionable" American women going to seek their idle pleasure in the city.

Two kinds of folly were there. And which is sadder it would be hard to say.

THE FAT COP

By Morton Birge

If a cop would win approval and, perchance, avoid removal,
If he wants to show that duty is his single end and aim,
He must demonstrate devotion and desire to win promotion
By efficient cultivation of a lean and lanky frame.

CURVES are not the lines of beauty if they interfere with duty
And the stomach's semi-circle must be starved till it is flat.
For the waist's accumulation is the cop's degeneration—
'Tis the ruling of O'Meara and you can't get back of that.

THUS the Boston cop's ambition, if he seeks a high position,
Is reduction to proportions of the sapling's scanty girth,
And our coppers, round and portly, will diminish very shortly
Dimensions of the thinnest, living skeleton on earth.

The Down and Out Club to the Rescue

BY T. E. POWERS

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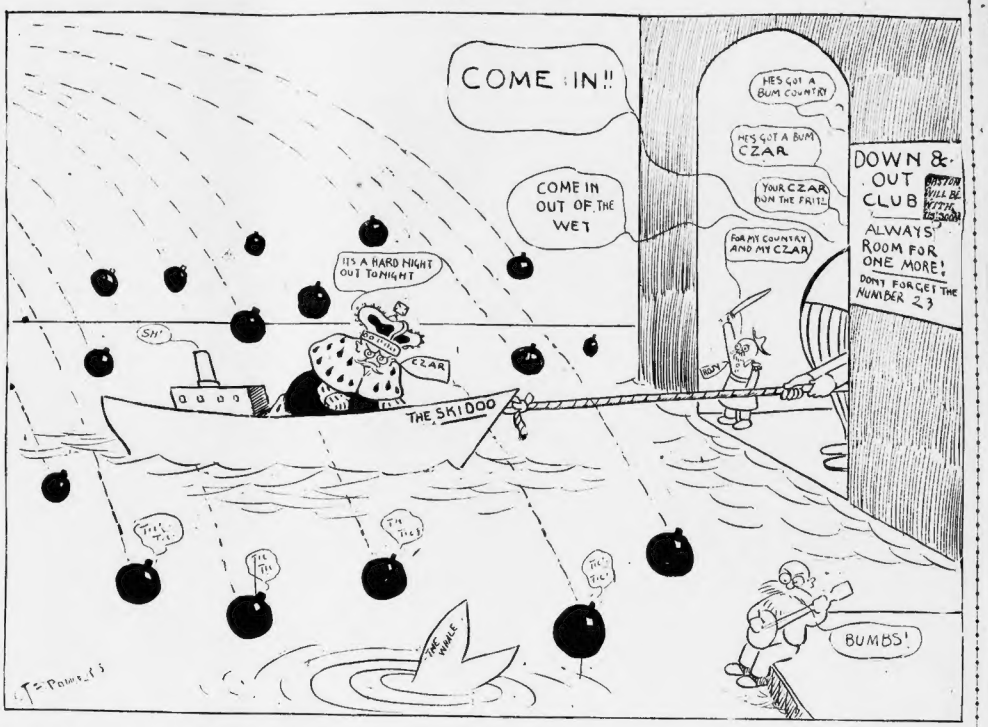

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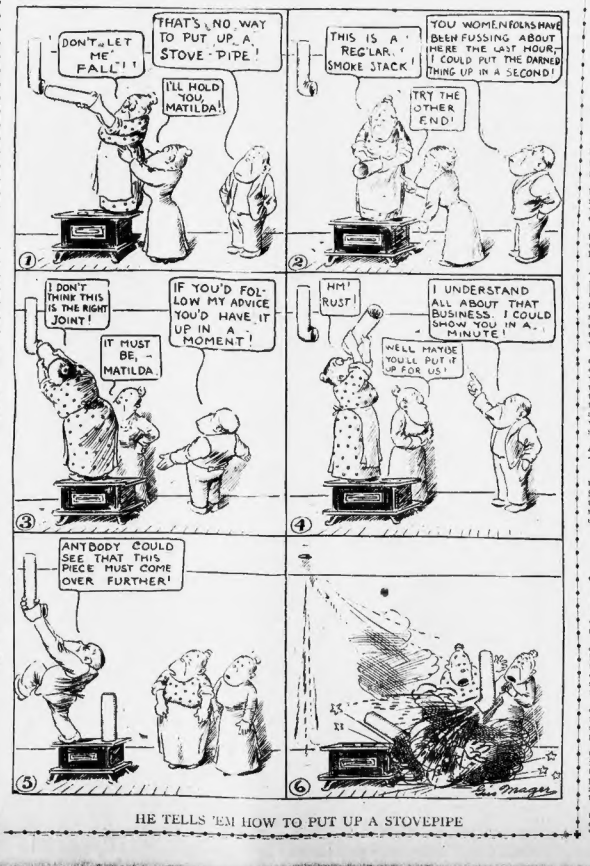
DON'T LET ME FALL!!
THAT'S NO WAY TO PUT UP A STOVE-PIPE!
I'LL HOLD YOU, MATILDA!
THIS IS A REG'LAR SMOKE STACK!
YOU WOMEN FOLKS HAVE BEEN FUSSING ABOUT HERE THE LAST HOUR—I COULD PUT THE DARNED THING UP IN A SECOND!
TRY THE OTHER END!
I DON'T THINK THIS IS THE RIGHT JOINT!
IT MUST BE, MATILDA
IF YOU'D FOLLOW MY ADVICE YOU'D HAVE IT UP IN A MOMENT!
HM! RUST!
I UNDERSTAND ALL ABOUT THAT BUSINESS. I COULD SHOW YOU IN A MINUTE!
WELL MAYBE YOU'LL PUT IT UP FOR US!
ANYBODY COULD SEE THAT THIS PIECE MUST COME OVER FURTHER!

HE TELLS 'EM HOW TO PUT UP A STOVEPIPE

Ella Wheeler Wilcox

Sophie Wright Ought to Be an Inspiration to Those Who Think Themselves Ill-Used by Fate

By Ella Wheeler Wilcox

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I WISH every woman in America who believes she is doing all she can to make herself useful, and every one who believes she is handicapped by fate in her effort to be independent, would read the story of Sophie Wright in a recent magazine.

I confess to utter self-abasement and humiliation of spirit after reading the narrative of that wonderful woman, who is truthfully called "The First Citizen of New Orleans."

I have sometimes imagined I was doing the best I could to make my life useful to those nearest me and to humanity in general.

A Useful Life

But when I had finished the story of Sophie Wright's life and work I felt utterly ashamed of myself, and the strong impulse to new and greater efforts was the only solace which came to help me over the uncomfortable conviction of past failures.

Sophie Wright was crippled from early childhood; always obliged to use crutches—always suffering pain. She was born to the poverty which fell upon cultured Southern families after the Civil War; yet at the age of fourteen this crippled poor child, wearing a steel frame on her frail body, and walking on crutches, started a "day school for girls" in New Orleans.

Marvellous Achievement

THAT was the beginning of her marvellous experiences and achievements. The school, which brought her $10 a month the first year, enabled her to attend a normal school in the afternoons and fit herself for teaching higher branches.

At sixteen she was teaching in two schools and studying in one, and at eighteen she was paying $100 a month rent for a large building in which she taught her growing classes and laying aside money in the bank.

Think of that! oh, you strong, able-bodied young men and women who come out of high school and college and complain that you have "no influence," no "pull" and cannot make your way in the world!

But that was only a small beginning of Sophie Wright's undertakings. The day school grew into the "Home Institute." Then came a "night school for boys and men," where this frail, crippled woman taught in the evenings, and the story of this wonderful achievement is so like a tale in the "Arabian Nights" or in "Aladdin's Lamp" that you must read it in detail, and there, too, you will read about her cottage for crippled children, for which she raised $10,000, and which it will be an everlasting shame on our American millionaires if they do not help sustain.

No Nobler Work

SURELY, surely, there could be no greater, nobler work for any rich man on earth than to help make secure and safe, for all time, the marvellous undertakings of this great little woman.

Read the story of Sophie Wright. Compare her achievements and her obstacles to success with your own life, and see what you think about yourself when you have finished the comparison. Surely, there is no chance, no destiny, no fate, can circumvent or hinder or control the firm resolve of a determined soul. All things give way before it, soon or late. Gifts count for nothing. Will alone is great.

Brains and Temperament

By Winifred Black

I'VE just been reading a page of letters of advice to young girls, and it is all on "The temptations of a young girl who must make her own way in the world, and how to avoid them."

What a lot of rubbish people do write on this temptation business! A girl who is willing to be tempted can find temptation anywhere. The Tempter doesn't confine his field of operations to the stage door of a theatre or to the posing room of a studio.

Can a girl be an artist's model or a chorus girl and be good? Rubbish! You might as well ask if a girl can be a stenographer or a chiropodist or a society girl and be good.

It isn't what she does for a living that makes the difference; it's what she is. The right sort of a girl can walk through all the theatres in the world and pass her days posing in an artist's studio and be as good as gold every minute of the time.

The wrong kind of a girl can be shut up in a convent when she is seven years old and she'll find some way to be "tempted" if she has to climb over a wall ten feet high, and covered with broken glass, to do it.

What is the greatest protection for a girl who has her own way to make in the world?

There's just one protection for her, and that is a good set of brains.

Nobody but a fool will throw away her whole life for the sake of a champagne supper or so.

Temperament has nothing to do with the case.

We hear pathetic stories about emotional young persons who are led away—poor things—by their emotions. If they had brains enough, they would learn the first lesson that should be taught to every girl—that a woman's emotions are given her to be controlled. Brains and temperament grow together.

The girl who falls by the wayside is not the girl of high-strung, emotional temperament. Look at the face of the average woman in the average shooting scrape and you will find that it is the face, not of an impassioned child of nature, but of a silly, little empty-headed, shallow-hearted goose, whose vanity led her feet into the path which means death.